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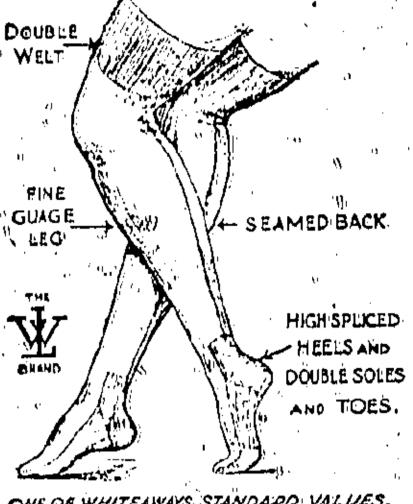
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Additional precautions are being ataken by the Powers, th United States having decided to send still another detachment of fifteen hundred Marines, and Britain having decided to send a Air Force Squadron consisting of reconnaissance machines.

AMERICA'S ANXIETY.

Another Fifteen Hundred Marines.

Washington, April Sim The Government has decided to send fifteen hundred more marines

tó China. Admiral Williams has informed he Navy Department that conditions at Hankow are steadily warsening.

The Chinese authorities are apparently not trying to check lawlessness.-Reuter's . American Ser-

MORE PLANES.

A Squadron Ordered To

London, April 89 One of the Air Force squadrons stationed at Ramsgate has been

ordered to China .- Reuter. Reconnaissance Machines. Rugby, April 8. The No. 2 Army Co-operation "Squadron of the Royal Air Force

are under orders to proceed to China, though the date of departure is not settled. The Squadron is equipped with machines, and is the first air force unit detailed for China .- British

JAPAN'S DECISION.

Wireless Service.

Matter For War Minister's Discretion.

Tokyo, April 7. The Cabinet Council has decided"that no more troops" shall be sent to China at present, but the Havas. War Minister is empowered to use his own discretion regarding the. possible future requirements .--

RADIO ITEMS.

Dutch Wreck Rescues Mentioned.

Rugby, April 8. Latest advices from China-include the following items:-At Wuhu the commanding offi-

er of the British warship "Caradoe" was asked by the Cantonese Commissioner for Foreign Affairs for a list of houses owned by British and American subjects, the object being to protect them by putting up posters. The request, was complied with.

All British subjects have now left Wenchow except five Customs officials and one woman mission-

The shipping strike at Kiukiang has been settled on practically the same terms offered three months

Fourteen hundred Chinese have been rescued by the British warships "Dragon," "Stormeloud" and "Frobisher" from the "Tilleboet," a Dutch vessel wrecked at Lingting Island .- British Wireless Service.

WANG CHING-WEL

Canton Paper And His-

Yesterday's "Canton Gazette contains the following item:-Shanghai. April 4 (by telegraph) -The British propaganda campaign to magnify the small differences amongst the leaders of the Kuomintang, is now completely upset by the return to China of Mr. Wang Ching-wei who, when he left Canton last year on sick leave, was the Chairman of

the Nationalist Government. · Mr. Wang arrived at Shanghai from Paris where he has been under medical treatment. He has been welcomed by General Chiang Kai-shek who last year was donsidered his political opponent. It is authoritatively stated in Nationalist circles here that Mr.

political arms.

EARMER MESSAGES.

tionalist Government.

French Opinionson the Peking Raid.

Paris, 'April 8. mented on in the Press.

The "Echo de Paris." wonders Southerners. whether Moscow "will swallow Chang Tso-lin's affront." the opinion that Chicherin has his eyes fixed upon Tokyo since the events in North China directly

affect Japan. "Volonte" believes that the aggressive intentions of Chang Tso-lin are indubitable and since the Soviet Government has accumulated men and munitions on the frontier conflict is quite pos-

"People" say's that Chang Isoreconnaissance and not bombing lin seems to be hoping for the support of western nations against Cantonese.—Reuter.

> Defence of Indo China. Paris, April 8

According to "Le Matin" the next Council of Ministers will deal with the question of Indo-China's security in view of the Cantonese coup detail in Yunnan and the necessity of not leaving Indo-China without a responsible chief during the present difficulties.—

#### "HAKKAS."

CHINESE AND SCOTTISH REGIMENT.

THIS MORNING'S MARCH.

morning saw the whole of the 1st borne about in public. Battalion the Cameronians on w route march through Chinatown. Preceded by their pipers and buglers, the Scottish Rifles (as they) straps) were piloted by two officers head. mand. In marching order and with flag and the arrow head. Queen's Road into D'Aguilar Street said "Here come the Hakkas."

### PREVENTING DISORDER.

EMERGENCY REGULATIONS AMENDED.

The regulations relating to the prevention of disorder which were published in the "Government Gazette" of January 28 have been amended by the addition of the following regulation at the end:—
6. It shall be havful for a

magistrate, upon such notice (if any) as he shall think fit, to order to be forfeited any thing whatsoever which may appear to belong to any proscribed organisation, whether proscribed before or after the coming into operation of this regulation. Any thing so forfeited shall be disposed of in such manner, as the Captain Superintendent of Police may direct.

The offices of the Supreme Court will be open daily from 10 a.m. tol. 1 p.m. during the Faster Vacation, except on public and general holibegins on April 15, and terminates on April 21, (both days inclusive), In this case, the silk cover is also in ono stroke.

#### TO KILL A MAN!

How Agitators Are Executed

OLD TIME SWORD & AUTHORITY

"Relies" of Imperial China are still dised to-day for putting a man to Reath. Such "imple- who sheltered British soldiers at that Marshal Chang Tso-lin of ments are embellished with all the risk of their lives in their Peking and General Chiang Kaito serve and warning to others.

sword, accollarement and the

Wang's return to China means. Whereas the Cantonese use the House, and addresses of thanks shevism by raiding the "Reds." the solution of all difficulties, a more modern firearm to carry out were presented to them, together solid front of all sections of the executions, the Northerners with annuities that will maintain mander-in-chief makes his most Nationalist Movement, and con-adhere to the execution methods them in comfort. solidation of the military and of monarchy days. The Northerners, or Fungtienites as they It is understood here that a are also called, mostly come from representative of Mr. Wang the provinces forming Manchuria Ching-wei is going to Hankow to and the two "metropolitan" progreet his colleagues of the Na- vinces, where the glory of a defunct dynasty has taken longest time to fade out." Hence the survival of the "head chopping."

Used all Shanghai. The photographs reproduced herewith were taken at the barrier just outside the International Settlement, Shanghai, at the junction of North Chekiang and The raid on the Soviet Embassy Elgin Roads where the Northat Peking is considerably com-kerners had been busy with agitators prior to the entry of the



Strict Copyright. Mr. Denis H. Huzel besmattered with blood. In the embroidery and other work. left centre is a leather scalibard

handle is bound in red and greer of cloth in the same colours. Both sword and scabbard stand against a "background" fancy work, to which the sword

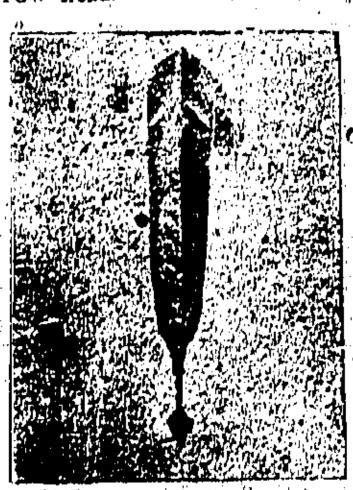
of the sword bears a chop.

"Early birds" down town this and sheath, are secured when Emphasising Authority. In the centre is a triangular

flag of yellow silk, attached to a are commonly known, and accord- brown bamboo pole, at the boting to the "S.R." on their shoulder tom of which is a black arrow from the Traffic Police. Lt.-Col. A Chinese word (character) is

E. B. Ferrers, D.S.O. was in com-on both the centre of the small the machine-gun detachments and means "authority" and, as such, others, the Battalion swung off can only be issued by division and into the city by way of Well-headquarters. " No general who ington Street, the Glengarries at has anything less than a division tracting much comment from the under him is entitled to display Chinese spectators, one of whom such "authority"-in this case. for an execution.

On the right hand side of the picture is a yellow cover in oiled silk. This cover goes over the triangular flag" when the whole thing is wrapped up, and it extends down too the foot of the pole, i.e., to just above the black arrow head."



### HEROIC WOMEN.

Brave Deeds of the War Recalled.

LONDON PAYS ITS TRIBUTE.

Rugby, April 8. The four gallant French women

Photos in a shown here of a the citizens of London to-day. against Communist elements are They were received by the Lord most significant. "authority" of a Northern gen- Mayor and the Lady Mayoress at" a great gathering at the Mansion chieftain shows his dislike of Bol-

> French women Madame Cardon, Madame Belmont Gobert, Madaine Lesure, her daughter, and Madame Baudhuin.

The Lord Mayor recited their acts of heroism. and her husband concealed Cor- been counter-attacking. poral Hill, of the Eleventh Hussars, for thirteen months. Then Hill was betrayed and shot by the

Madame Cardon was condemned to death but sentence was commuted to twenty years' 'hard labour. M. Cardon escaped but right up to Armistice led a life of incredible suffering. . He died a few years ago the victim of his courage in harbouring a British

Another tragedy followed the shooting of Corporal Hill. When his mother heard of his death she lost her reason and never recoverit wholly. When last Friday son's benefactor coming to London, she seemed overjoyed in the prospect of seeing Madame Cardon. Then gift of Shanghai. she suddenly fell back dead.

As the Lord Mayor told the story Corporal Hill's father. who was present, went down on Manchuria of all available troops his knees, and kissed the shoes for active service in Honan and. of Madame Cardon. His tribute Kiangsu provinces. The Mukden moved many spectators to tears. Warlord's lieutenant (Chang)

and her daughter, sheltered for his men (nearer Peking) into four years trooper Fowler, of Shantung while still dangling a the Eleventh Hussars, concealing spear-head, in the eyes of the him in a wardrobe. They were in Kuomintang advance guards. cessantly faced with the problem | Every time that a real trial of of obtaining food for Fowler, and strength appears imminent, a large portion of the food which a real clash is avoided by came into the poor home was tortuous intrigues and purchased On the left is the heavy sword, purchased with the proceeds of treacheries. What if Fengtien's

with straps, buckle, etc. The hilt Private Cruickshanks, of the material are balanced by expert Cameronians at Lecateru. She "Red" Russian strategy, the apand the soldier were brought be- peal of Chiang Kai-shek's name cord, around which is tied strips fore a German court martial, and the sympathy of the masses? when she made so impassioned an The whole civil war may be dethe tribunal commuted his sen- fired. tence to one of imprisonment.— British Wireless Service.

> besmattered with blood. Near the chances are that the Canthe top, two Chinere national tonese military leader will not flags (five horizontal stripes) are crossed and the flags are in bat with his so-called colleagues colours. A fancy border in red adorns the edges of the cover.

> From the Great General. Stamped in the middle of the tween-Hankow and Canton, but cover are words which mean:-

the Ankuochun (i.e., Northern moved in the field, Chiang Kai-Army), concurrently comman- shek does not appear to favour a der-in-chlef of the Allied compromise with Peking-at least Armies of Chihli and Shantung not while he can do without it. provinces-Chang."

Tupan of Shantung province, of the Whampoa Cadet Academy) right hand man of Marshal Chang has been to play one side against Tso-lin and now fighting the Can- the other. It is only logical to antonese to the North of Nanking. | ticipate that he will fight one "In effect, the soldier bearers of foe instead of two. this "authority" are from Chang Tsung-chang's own command. Spectators Must Kneel.

two separate parts. The sword, erners have a strong entrenchin its scabbard and dangling from ment at Hsuchow (on the juncthe cloth "background" shown tion of the Nanking-Peking and in the upper photo, is carried by Lung-Hai Railways) and a naturthe executioner proper. The al last ditch in the Yellow River, small flag, with the cover over it Not till all danger from the (as in the lower illustration) is Fengtien Party is removed is he borne in triumph by the escort- likely to invade the territory conin triumph because all Chinese trolled by the Hankow extrewho pass it are expected to kneel mists. show their respect for it.

out, generally, in some conspicu- Shanghai gives him the power at ous spot, so as to be a lesson to one time exclusively held by Han-Strict Copyright. Mr. Denie H. Hazell, the greatest number. With the kow. This photo shows the equip-arrow-head resting on the The distant threat to Chang ment rolled up for carrying about, ground and the flag flying, a cor- Tso-lin's flank of that formidable Lest there should be any mistake don is put around the victim who ally of the Cantonese (the "Christirely closed. The Easter vacation about the authority, the "charac- is held down firmly, and the wield- tlan" general, Feng Yu-hslang)

#### JOIN HANDS? TO .

What Chiang & Chang May Do.

LATEST ANTI-COMMUNIST COUPS

[By "Li Chung-yin,"];

If there is still a possibility heir former grandeur, the better homes behind the German lines shek are to join hands in unifying during the war were honoured by China, their respective "coups"

On the one hand, the Fengtien The next day the Southern comdecisive move against the Hankow extremists.

To discount this, is the fact that the Cantonese vanguards have not been given the order to halt, although they have marched good distance north of the bridge-head at Nanking. And Madame Cardon of Villame General Chang Tsung-chang has

The Element of Doubt. Can one reason about this or that Chinese military situation as one can about such situations elsewhere?

First of all. Chang Tsung-chang engages in an enormous enterprise of ferrying an entire armoured train across the Yangtse by lashing junks together in primitive fashion, then moving the cars across a stream two miles widea feat accomplished by "White" Russian engineers—so that the armoured train, manned by "White" Russian mercenaries, she can be used against the Canton-

With considerable sacrifice, Chang Tsung-chang withdraws all his men and guns northwards and the Southerners are made a

Mockery of Warfare. Marshal Chang Tso-lin drains Mademoiselle Belmont Gobert, Tsung-chang) withdraws some of

superior troops, and their Madame Baudhuin sheltered better equipment and modern appeal for the British boy that cided without another shot being

One At a Time. Irrespective of whether Mr. Wang Ching-wai (the Kuomintang chairman) has thrown in his lot with Chiang Kai-shek or not, yet risk an actual trial by comat Hankow. True, his loyal 4th Army, has crossed from Kiangsi into Hunan to sit on the line begreater issues have to be settled "Vice commander-in-chief of first. From the way that he has His policy, even before he became The Chang in this instance is commander-in-chief (in a fact General Chang Tsung-chang, when he was no more than head

Stronger on Paper. As long as he wins in battle, he will concentrate on the march The complete outfit consists of North but, there again, the North-

down immediately and thereby On paper, Chiang Kai-shek is much stronger than his rivals in Such executions are carried the Kuomintang. The capture of

ter" on the arrow-head still shows. er of the sword removes his head will be more apparent when summer has set in.

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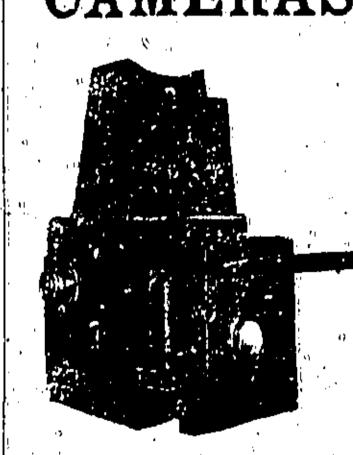
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### COMMERCE AND FINANCE.

#### LOCAL SHARES.

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THE WEEK'S REVIEW

Messrs. Moxon and Taylor in their weekly share report, dated April 8, stated:- " Our market during the past week was dull and lifeless, very little interest having been shown in anything except some of the best Investment stocks, Indus-

trials having been more or less neglected. Benguet Consolidated Mining shares have advanced to a buying rate of \$1.60 but in view of the good dividends being paid quar-

terly there are no sellers. Following a drop in London, Banks have declined and are juoted nominal at \$1.050.

London Quotations of April 6: -Banks £103 10s.; Indos Deferred 24; Shells 24 12s. 6d., al middle prices,

Exchange:-The demand rate on London is 2/-7/16 and the T./T. on Shanghai is Tls. 79%. Next Settlement Day is Tuesday, April 26, 1927.

#### FRESH N. S. W. LOAN.

New York, April 8. The Equitable Trust Company of New York, which will head the syndicate has confirmed the numours of another G.\$25,000,000 issue of New South Wales bonds shortly to be offered in New York in the form of thirty-one year five per cent sinking fund dollar bonds-Reuter's American Service.

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> (shareholders). yesterday.]

No question was put and the report and accounts were unani- ful signs to be seen. mously adopted on Mr. T. G. Weall seconding. Other business transacted by the meeting com-

Re-election of Mr. T. G. Weall Mr. E. M. Raymond, Mr. J. Scott Harston to the Consulting Com-Current Accounts opened and Fixed mittee-proposed by Mr. A. A.

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Education.

training in industry was emphasised at the resumed annual meeting of the Association of Technical Institutions in the Goldsmiths' Hall. London, by Mr. William Wilkinson tries. The Beard of Education Hickons replied to the toast. Blackburn), when speaking on "The Technical Training of Students for blems of technical education and Snowden, M.P., responded. the Cotton Industry." "The indus-

severe competition. We have heard much more definitely reduced to wearing them." (Laughing they had no uniformity, no at- in life was uneducational. If traction, and a decrease in young that were so we should despair of students which was becoming any education at all. The new Shanghai market is dull and in alarming. They attempted too association was really the thinking much in the class-room, and paid organ in connection with technical

The students were prepared for examination with a decided tendency, towards, the theoretical side. In addition to a complete change in the scheme of training, there should be special attention paid to the equipment of the workshops. Replying to a question, Mr.

Wilkinson said: "There is not a school in Lancashire equipped properly at the present time. Lord Riddell, who presided, remarked: "Our system of education has been more or less designed by professors—the professors of Oxford and Cambridge-and I will call them the black-coated professors." Beef Sirloin ..... 牛 尾 元 (Laughter)...

It was decided that the questions raised should be referred to the council for consideration.

#### INDUSTRY'S PROSPECTS.

Sir J. Stamp and "Open Wounds."

Replying to the toast of "The .Visitors" at the annual dinner of the Commerce Society of the Lon-'don School of Economics, Sir Josiah Stamp said that it was difficult to tell whether the present industrial situation was a mere spurt of orders following a period of quiescene; whether it was merely Botelho, H. Dreyer, A. Keith, of better times. He wondered whe- Calves' Head & Feet. . 44 17 17 A. L. Shields and J. Toppin ther it was possible to work up to Mutton Chop ...... \* a degree of prosperity equal to [The chairman's review of that before the warm and still 1926 working was published blems, such as themployment, as a

strong man would carry an open wound, but there were very hope-The toast of "The President" was proposed by Sir W. H. Beveridge. Vice-Chancellor of London University, and in reply, Mr. J. Wilson, Potter remarked that interest in the Commerce Degree in City circles was increasing. There was Pork Chop ..... much to be done in educating the commercial mind in the value of University training for business

"The Society" was proposed by Mr. P. J. Hannon, M.P., and plied to by Mr. W. J. Wisdom. Professor T. E. Gregory gave the Sucking Pigs, to order. toast of "The Graduates," Mr. Suet. Beef ......

W. F. Crick responding. Among those present were :-Mr. P. Mackinnon (chairman of Veal Lloyds), Mr. J. Dimond (South) African Trade Commissioner), Mr. ... J. Drummond Smith, Mr. Hawtrey, Mr. Hartley Withers, Sir A. Booth, Professor (Emeritus Professor of Account- Barbel ..... ing), Mr. A. S. Wade, Mr. O. Hob- Bream ...... son, and Mr. H. Gordon Selfridge. Canton Fresh 「塘魚 海域次

#### IDEAL OF WORK Production the Test of

To-day

"We have only two natural re- Dab ..... sources: One is brain and the other Dace ...... 3 is coal," said Lord Riddell, in his Dog Fish "............ 監 肚 presidential address to the Asso- Eels. Conger ...... ciation of Technical Institutions at the Goldsmiths' Hall, London, "The reason," he went on, "why forty-other community in the world is Gudgeon ........ that they happen to have some Herrings

brains. We live by exporting the Halibut He did not believe there was any Labrus ground for the statement that this Loach generation was worse than the Lobsters ......... former generation. He thought the Mackerel ....... present generalion was healthier, Monk Flsh ..... have a very strong objection to Oysters people who are always talking about the wonderful past," said Lord Riddell. "Our boys are an annoying. They always are, but I Pike think, generally speaking, that they Plaice are a fine lot. Perhaps they are Pomfret, Black ..... not as thorough as they ought to Pomiret. White ..... E be, but our system of education has Prawns been devised by professors. Ray (Laughter.) We cannot all be professors, doctors, medical men, lawyers, accountants—or newspaper
proprietors. (Laughter.) Some

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Salmon have got to produce. This country Shark cannot live and face competition Skate unless the majority of Ita inhabi- Shrimps tants are efficient and able to take Snapper their part in the pionuction of com- Boles modities. Some people may say Tench that that it is low ideal, but I do Turbot Turbot. pleasure in life comes from work." Turtles, small, fr. water

#### "ORDER OUT OF CHAOS."

Value of Technical

linner of the Association of Prin- tion authorities. cipals of Technical Institutions at In proposing the teast of "Educa observations, taken at the the Trocadero, Lord Eustace Percy tion and Industry," Sir Douglas Kaulung tidal observatory under said that the branch of education | Hogg, M.P. (the Attorney-General), the direction of Dr. Doberck durrepresented by those present was recalled the circumstances which in a more chaotic state than any led to the foundation of the Polybranch of education in the kingdom. technic by his distinguished father The association had been formed forty-five years ago. Like his for Kaulung; but they may be with a view to produce some sort. father, Sir Douglas regarded tech. used for the Victoria Naval yard of order out of that chaos. He nical education in no narrow sense, and Aberdeen, the differences did not mean that our standards, but as a many-sided development of being very small. our aims, or our achievements lag- human faculties. ged far behind those of other counlooked to technical institution Dr. Prentice proposed the visi

principals to work out the pro- tors, and the Right Hon. Philipgive the lead and advise to the "is rapidly Board as to the direction in which undergoing a change, and a change development was needed. We had which calls for greater skill in been hovering for some years becraftsmanship and ability to face tween a realisation of the need for The C.P.S., R.M.S. "Empress of about the importation of rags. I tional education and a kind day, and will berth at Kowloon suggest that if we lose our cotton of general traditional horror Wharf Pier No. 5. industry we shall be more or less of education having too much to The M.M. s.s. "Chenonceaux" do with a man's job in life. How (maiden trip) is due to arrive absurd to say that education de- Hong Kong on April 13 instead o With the existing system of train- signed to fit a man for his vocation April 12 as per schedule. "

insufficient attention to the craft education, and he looked forward work connected with the course, with great confidence to its assistance and lead in the future.

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Major T. Worswick, the chairman, said that the only way to tackle the problem before them was by a national movement upon voluntary basis, and directed into well-defined channels by the Board

Speaking at the first annual of Education and the local educa-

Sir Hugh Bell and Mr. W. L.

#### MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

voca- Russia" is due here at 4 p.m. to

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TELEVISION ARRIVES.

New York, April 8. Television has been formally introduced to the American public Mr. Hoover, from Washington, conversed with Mr. Gifford, President of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company at New York while the apparatus showed on the screen was clear animated picture of Mr. Hoover as he spoke two hundred miles away.—Reuter's

Washington, April 8.—President. Coolidge has appointed as commissioner, the Former War Minister Mr. Stimson, to go to Nicaragua to w. 28 ................. 5.54 report on the state of affairs .- "

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thought the matter over. If he SUNRISE AND SUNSET IN HONG KONG FOR APRIL, 1927.

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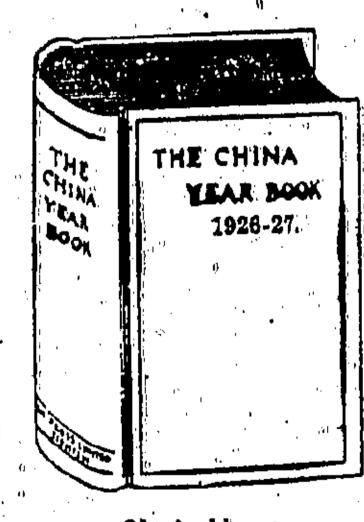
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for ..... solution v(s) which are attached

Clues Across." A recess. Smelling. Anything spiral. 11. A bird with a long neck. 12. In advance. 18. To boast. It is pleasing to me. Manner of walking. To corrode. A town in Scotland. Organ of sight. LLH (actual). .The indefinite article. New York (abbrev:) Original man (bib:) Pointed: as a cross. 88. Transparent rock-forming mine-89. A habitation. 40. Anything small.

41. A ribbon for the waist. 4. A narrow strip of leather. An ornament for flowers. Lizards. A large fishing net. Emmets. Masculine pronoun. 58. Above and touching. The top or point of snything. NCP (actual). Cost, insurance and freight (abbrev:) To describe clearly.

68. Pertaining to the car. 65. Laryngitis. 66. To know (latin). Dawy. To dress gaudily. Eves. 70. Dainty food. -71. Destruction.

Clues Down. Hippocrates' contrivance for reducing shoulder dislocations, To scare away. 8. A unit of work. Single in number. 5. A sly look. 6. A cape or headland. 7. Plural pronoun.

8. A witty person. 9. Freehold estate. 10. A mowing. 14. One who rates. 17. Pertaining to the lower in testines. 19. The indefinite article. EN (actual). Consumed.

Having the strength exhausted. 26. Tropical, potato-like root. 27. A vibration. 28. Burnt up. To deviate from the regular, 30. Annual income (Fr:) 31. The devil.

32. To slant. 34. A sofa. 35. Ship's officers.
42. Mythological evil demon. HSH (actual). 45. A membrane. 46. A wagon or cart. 47. The ermine.

52. EN (actual) 58. Out from. 54. To entice. 55. A reel. 57. Style; fashion. 58. A magple. •59. To yield. 60. Egyptian godde.... 61. A girl's name. 62. To propare

64. COE (actual).

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NEW PROPOSAL BY LEAGUE COMMITTEE.

Proposals for setting up an International Labour Office on Shipping Matters to act as a sort of International Lieyd's were dis-cussed at the meeting of the nell. Mrs. Hardman, Mr. Jowitt, League of Nations Sub-Commit-tee on Ports and Maritime Mrs. Lesser Mr. and Mrs. and Miss of International Lleyd's were dis-Navigation in London.

Villamil, Mr. Rosario, Mr. Reyes, Miss Robugula, Miss Pemberton, The whole question of the Mr. Mackie, Mrs. and Miss Smyth, establishment of a centralised manaport information bureau at Geneva will be before the third general Transport Conference of the League to be held in Geneva

next August. The Committee, which met under the chairmanship of Sir Norman Hill, passed a resolution emphasising the desirability of the standardisation of tonnage measurements in order to secure the equalisation of canal dues.

. The Committee also decided to transmit immediately to all maritime governments a report on buoyage and lighting of coasts with the view to the holding of a. general or regional conference on this subject.

Another resolution drew the attention of all governments to the importance to commerce of crews being given full facilities for landing at ports.

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Cocos Island, but unfortunately a Mr. Black personally dedicated party from British Columbia the bell in the presence of about were there first, and the treasure thirty friends. It was a pictureshunt developed into something que ceremony in the flickering like a pitched battle. light created by the glow from the furnaces.

Mr. Black assisted the artificers to pour out the molten metal, and flinging a coin into the fiery liquid he solemnly pronounced the words "May your sound protect it."

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#### SHIPS IN PORT

This morning there, were 711 ocean-going mechant" vessels in Hong Kong harbour, of which number 21 fly the British flag.

During the 24 hours brided at 9 arms to-day there were 17 arrivals (2 British) and 14 departures (5 British).

#### HARBOUR OBSTRUCTION.

Before Lt. Comdr. G. F. Hole, in the Marine Court this morning, the owner of a cargo-boat was fined \$3 for causing an obstruction in the southern fairway of the

#### FISHING NET THEFTS.

Col. Pickwood, Mr. and Mrs. Stan-ford, Mr. and Mrs. Nevitt, Mr. Kuhns, Mr. and Mrs. Baker, Mr. Two men have been arrested at Tai O (Lantau Island) and charged in connection with this week's series of thefts of fishing nets from various places in the Colony's

> "Sixteen nets, valued at \$48, have been recovered by the Police.

#### LEAGUE AND SHIPPING.

modern ship histories comes under notice by the report that Proposals for setting up an Interthe Peruvian ss. "Amazonas." has been salved off the Scotland national Labour Office on Shipping Light Vessel, hopelessly broken Matters were discussed at the redown. It is not often that a Cape cent meeting of the League of mail steamer has the distinction Nations Sub-Committee on Ports of becoming a yacht, a treasure and Maritime Navigation in Lonhunter, a transport, and finally a don. The whole question of the tramp steamer. The "Amazonas" establishment of a centralised was built as the Donald Currie Geneva is to be brought before the steamer "Harlech Castle" by third general Transport Conference Barclay, Curles, in 1894, a of the League in Geneva next single-screw ship of just over August. The Committee, which 3,000 tons, with a speed of 121/2 met under the chairmanship of Sir knots and accommodation for 40 Norman Hill, set for three days last first-class passengers and up to week and passed a resolution em-250 in the steerage. She ran phusising the desirability of the uneventfully until 1900, when standardisation of tonnage meashe became a trooper for the surements in order to secure the South African War. After the equalisation of canal dues. The is one of the largest ship's bells war she was trooping to Ber. Committee also decided to transmit muda, but in 1904 the amalgama-Governments a report on buoyage tion of the old Union and Castle and lighting of coasts with the view Companies rendered her surplus to the holding of a general, or regional, conference on this subject, Eight notions were represented at william bought her for use as a yacht, renaming her "Veronique." the meeting. Hisoidea was to take her treasure

#### NAME OF NEW WARSHIPS.

It is notified by the Admiralty that the undermentioned ships of the 1926 programme will be named as follows:

and in 1905 sold to the Peruvian "A" Class Cruisers: "Dorsetshire." his Majesty's Dockyard; Portsmouth; "Norfolk," Fairfield Shipbuilding and Engineering Co., shortage of tonnage persuaded Ltd. Govan, Glasgow.

the Navy to sell her for a very "B" Class Cruiser "York," Palfair price, but they soon had her mers Shipbuilding and Iron Co., back on their hands, and it was Larrow. not until 1920 that she finally be- | Submarine Depot Ship: "Med-

came the cargo steamer way," Vickers Ltd., Barrow-in-"Amazonas." She was transfer- Furness. Repair Ship: "Resource," Vicred in 1925, and has been trampkers Ltd., Barrow-in-Furness.

> The Marine Engineers' Guild of China, Hong Kong branch, are

holding an ordinary meeting at their office on Monday at 5 pim.

This morning, the J.C.J.L. s.s. "Tjileboet" was still aground at Vice-Admiral d'Arcy was on the retired list. He retired as Vice-Lingting Island (14 miles south of Hong Kong) where she ran ashore this week. Divers are still at work but are unable to do much on account of highly unfavourable ' | weather

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BANGKOK-Via Saigon. AFRICA MARU ... (From Shanghai) Saturday 9th April.

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KHIVA	- j.  s- 9,135	18th April'	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe	•
NYANZA	7,023		Shanghai, Moji & Kobe	• •
MOREA	10,963	29th April	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe	
TANDA	6,958	8th May [	Moji, Kobe, Osaka and Yo	kohama

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#### LUCKY 13.

THE KIND AND "ONE OF MY BOYS."

STEEL HOUSE VISIT.

"Mummie, the King and Queenare outside. They are knocking at

When Miss Ruby Plant rushed

on Saturday across Bromley Hill, on the London County Council's Down- W. ham estate at Bromley, Kent, to the back garden of her home, No. 13, her father, who was gardening, greeted her message with the laugh ing reply, "If you pull my leg I wi mother, who was planting bluebells, warned her not to try her sons. tricks. So the King and Queen knocked again. The rat-tat was so firm and the dog so starled that Mr.

There were the King and the various kinds of rugs. Queen looking up at our unlucky The Queen made a tour of many number 13. I nearly turned a of the departments and watched the and Mrs. A. C. Aubrey. the garden and told my wife.

we had just come back from a night work as lift operator on the L.C.C. Greenwich subway. She King and Queen smile we could royal visitor a rousing cheer. not be nervous any more.

The King talked to me, and the Queen joined my wife in a tour

of the house. How the King and Queen spent 20 minutes in this steel house was then described by both Mr. and Mrs.

"One of My Boys."

The King at once saw a photograph of Mr. Plant in sailor's uniform on the wall. "Ah, one of my boys," he said, and began to question him about his career. Mr. Plant told him that during the war he was in H.M.S. "Macedonia," fighting as gunner in the Falkland battle, served at Zeebrugge in H.M.S. "Hindustan", and was one of theafive R.N.R. men who escorted the body of the Unknown Warrior from Victoria to Westminster

"How do you like a steel house?" asked the King, laughing heartily The King tried the handle-bars

of Mr. Plant's motor-cycle and pressed his hand on the saddle. "-" hope you escape accidents," he said. "I am afraid the road have many dangers in these, days. " Caution

While the Queen toured the house with Mrs. Plant she pointed out that she was looking for good heating and other conveniences, parti cularly labour-saving devices, and she thought the ISC.C. were striving admirably to this end.

Faith in No. 13.

"Well," said Mr. Plant, when his royal guests had gone, "I now absolutely refuse to believe that No. 13 is unlucky. I get appointed to No 13 ship, a captured German whaler, and leave Capetown in it on December 13, sit 13 at table in a mess of 13, with the figure 13 over my head, become No. 13 of the ship, reach Sierra Leone on the 13th after safe journey, get home on the 13th, asked for help, a woman exsafe and sound, get a home numbered 13, and find myself the host of the King and Queen."

The visit of the King and Queen of the 17,000th house built by the seem to hear anything but effected. L.C.C., which the Queen opened with speeches on agriculture and vita-

a special key. through the Bellingham Estate, addressed the members of King's examining the outside appearance College Hospital Ladies' Associaof houses there and also went round tion at the association's annual the East Hill Estate at Wandsworth. meeting. Here the Queen visited the home of Police-constable Hopper.

#### MILITARY SENSATION.

Prague, March 6. General Gajda, who was derank, following a charge of spy-Kratochvil, as, instigator of a one ward for these little patients, campaign against him. The Court to which had recently been added vindicated General Gajda and a sunlight outfit. sentenced Colonel Kratochvil to, six weeks' imprisonment with a fine of 5,000 crowns. A crowd of Fascists cheered General Gajda mentioned. - Dr. W. Foxley as he left the Court...

#### FACTORY INCIDENT.

THE QUEEN AND A LITTLE

"A VERY NICE BOW,"

coloured overalls, lined the road eight years ago, and that he sold

little son of Mr. Ralph Eastman, presented a bouquet to the Queen, was a very nice how." With the England, and resided at various boy were Mr. Cyril England's twin addresses in London. He agreed

for storage and treatment a number of tapestries and carpets from Mark-Plant, who has served 21 years in borough House during its preparathe R.N.R., went to peep through bion as the residence of the Prince the front window to see what the of Wales. The Queen wanted to joke was about. In his own words: see the carpets to note the effect of

number 13. I nearly turned a girls at work. She saw straw hata Messrs. A. Bunch, P. H. F. somersault. I was too afraid to girls at work. She saw straw hata Becker. touch the door, so I rushed into being plainted and blocked, gloves Messrs. M. A. Cohen, E. J. cleaned and finished, and in the lace Carmichael, Y. Chen, Chu Chan She nearly fainted. You see, room she watched the girls with Lum, Miss Y. Cope. quickly moving fingers prick out the little shopping, on my return from gattern on lace which was stretched Mr. T. J. Evans. across a large frame.

bucked up courage and opened her tour the girls rushed out to the Mrs. J. F. Gale, Mr. P. C. Gunningthe door, and when we saw the roadway and gave the departing ham.



Dr. Heinrich Koahler, the new Pinance Minister of Germany, who, in presenting his budget to the Reichstag, expressed grave doubts as to 'the ability of Germany to continue the payment of reparations as set up under the Dawes plan. Strengthening of Germany industry is a prerequisite to execution of the Dawes plan, he declared, and the industries of his country are now exceedingly wealt.

#### 'MUDDLED CHARITY

LADY RAVENSDALE'S PLEA FOR HOSPITAL.

"I think often we have a very muddled idea of charity. When or they will not be recognized. claims, Oh, I cannot afford more Goods are to be left in the Godowns, than £2," and rushes off in a car where they will be examined on the or taxi to buy an expensive dress 9th inst., at 10 a.m. was in connection with the opening or listen-in set, though I never No Fire Insurance has been mins on that amazing invention." signed by Later the King and Queen drove In these words Lady Ravensdale GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO., LTD.

It was seventeen years ago, she continued, that the foundationstone of King's College Hospital was laid at Denmark-hill. Since then, year by year, the boroughs of Camberwell and Lambeth had been growing. Over 200,000 people per annum knocked at the door of the hospital, which was for 'ever open' to them. The hospital was planned so that the graded and deprived of military | children's out-patients' departments should be six times as large ing for the Soviet, has won a libel as in the old hospital. In spite action against Colonel Kratochvil. of there being two children's General Gajda contended that if hospitals in the neighbourhood. incriminating documents were in beds for habies and children were existence they were forgeries and still fatally short. At present took action against Colonel there was at the hospital only

The good in man is hardly ever

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A man who paid ten rupees for a ticket in "the Calcutta Sweep and won \$15,800 appeared for his bankruptcy examination at Canterbury. He was Emil Russ. lately residing at Herne Bay. It Nine hundred gifts, all in was stated that he won the money way and cheered the Queen when a quarter of his interest in the she visited Eastman's Dyeing and ticket he drew for £800. His n Cleaning Factory at Acton Vale, horse ran second. He estimated With a courtly bow, John, the a surplus of assets over liabilities,

which amount to \$2,746. Russ, who lived for many years who patting him on his curly head, in India, told the Court that at said, "Thank you very much. That the end of 1919 he returned to that he had since lived at the rate The firm has had entrusted to it of nearly £2,000 a year

The examination was closed.

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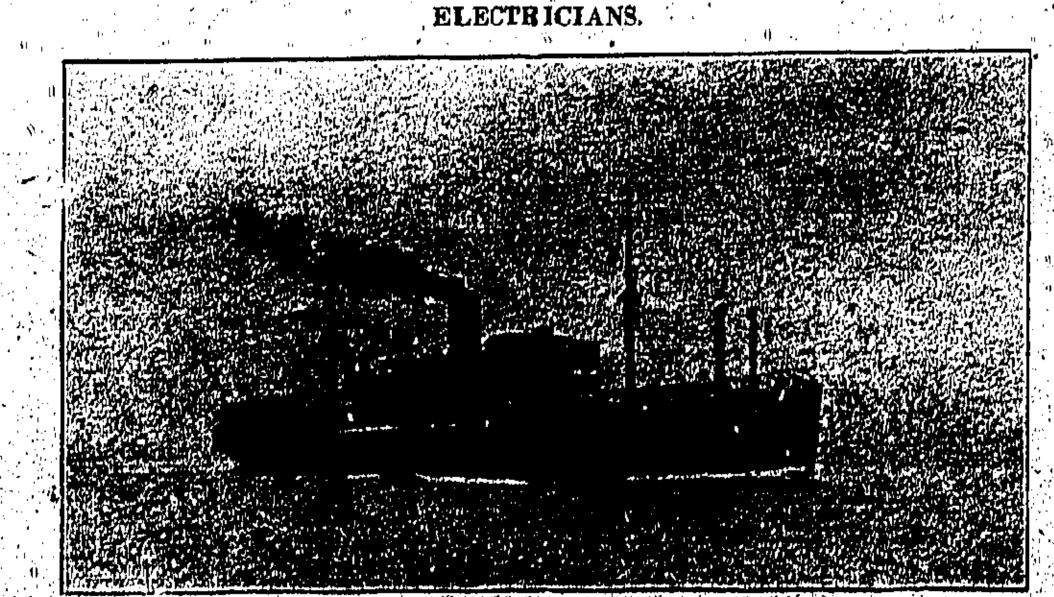
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#### BIRTH.

BIRD .- On April 2, 1927, at Shanghai, to Rev. and Mrs. J. G. Bird,

Hong Kong, Saturday, April 9, 1927.

A SATURDAY CAUSERIE.

have justified "Punch's" comment that "Mr. Ramsay Mac-Donald agrees with the measures taken in China: the 'Leader of the Opposition does not!" Mr. MacDonald's hands have been forced by men who have displayed a pitiable ignorance of conditions in China: Men like Mr. Wheatley, for instance, who suggested" in the House of Commons that all the British should be repatriated from China, leaving businesses they had built up by years of patient toil to the mercies of the mobs. Carrying the principle involved in Mr. Wheatley's suggestion to its logical conclusion, one might ask it Mr. Wheatley advocates repatriating to China the Chinese who have been no less patient in building up businesses in such among such as these be in favour of repatriation to China? Their fair-dealing which British administration affords is sufficient an-

under the peaceful conditions and paign which it is proposed to has started to resume work be card to stand in the way of his atlaunch against the Bill. swer. Another Labour member, For some time it had been gen- they separated. Lita asserted she that he should realise that he could in going before a jury with a contesting Mitcham, (Mr. A. M. erally known that there was Wall) delivered himself of the breach between Chiang Kai-shek following outburst, addressing a and the Hankow Extremists but "Hands Off China" meeting: it needed the threat of Chiang's "There are only 17,000 British na loyal troops on Hankow and the tionals in China and they are all drastic action he has taken people of shady reputations; against agitators in Shanghal to they employ children ten hours a indicate the extent of the broach, a 48 hours; strike as a protest practice that 95 per cent of the day for wages that would not The news taken in conjunction keep an Englishman in wood- with the measures takeny by bines if the parents of these Chang Iso-lin in Peking and Herry Lieur children now test disposed to give tain then them the impression in the communiste calls out it time. He recurrent

After the flasco of the General

Strike, it became obvious that La-

sequently the growing movement

within the Labour Party and the Trade Unions to end the policy of confusing political and industrial causes stood a very good chance of succeeding. At the conclusion of the last General Strike in which neither Mr. Ramsay Mac-Donald nor the other saner Labour leaders were in favour, Mr. of C.M.S. Shaohsing, a daugh Thomas openly admitted that the general strike was a crude and foolish procedure. The Trade should General Chiang Kal-shek Union Bill which the Government arrive to goad me," Marshal Wu tion. has brought forward is so moderate as to dispose of any honest characteristic optimism and spends excuse for saying that "it is an his days in sipping wine and writ-"The vacillation of the Labour attack on Trade Unions" and ap- ing poems.

In anticipation of the near apparty's policy towards. China re- pears to be no more than many proach of the Mukden forces to flects the struggle between the Labour leaders, including Mr. Chengchow from the east route effects of the vitamins and poison crackers leave a complete fingerflects the struggle between the MacDonald, have already implied subordinates suggested that he for ascendancy. Mr. Ramsay might be necessary. It is difficult should leave the fighting zone at MacDonald has been obliged by to reconcile the present uncomthe Leftists to go back on his promising attitude of Labour to manufacture at labour the Leftists to go back on his promising attitude of Labour to marshal to go back to his native the average man should not live to the world to-day will accept a former declaration that had he the Bill with the lessons Labour district in Shantung. As he been Premier he would have taken leaders previously admitted the figure-head the pro-South generals no less firm an attitude than was General Strike had taught. The are trying to prevent Marshal Wu. taken in regard to the defence last strike was a shameful ex- from departing. Marshal Wu is of British nationals in China. ploitation of Trade Union loyalty at present dominated by the latter Mr. MacDonald's later speeches and an utter abuse of Trade Kaifeng correspondence states Union privilege. The object of that General Wei I-san, General the present Bill is to emphasise Wei-chun and General Wang That there was no legal compultions with the present Bill is to emphasise Wei-wei have sent a wire to Marsion on a doctor to go to a patient all just rights of Trade Unions shal Wu unging him to sever relasimply because the patient wanted F and only abolish abuse from which tions with Mukden and to start to see him was the statement made the question of fragmentary quiet and inoffensive Trade They suggested that Chihli should East London coroner; at an finger-prints and carried the ers—such as mass picketing and Feng Yu-hsiang and the national- George Oliver Basham, 75, of 25, fection its founder never dreamed house to house visit for the pur- ists for co-operation and non-inter- Hackney-grove, who died before the of. He calls his new science pose of intimidating a man's obtain their salvation through an dead man complained that the doc- finger-print many times its origincannot defend a General Strike, Tiao-yuan of Anhui. By these and that the doctor first called for other print as the map of the Brithen they can have no objection arrangements they should be able the production of the panel card of tish Isles is different from the to the amendment of the law to to bring out a new situation, and his father. place the illegality of a General the command as usual. Strike beyond dispute. tween Trade Union rights as dis- General Wei I-san. tinct from privileges that have in the past been grossly abused. In regard to picketing, its prohibition would be a relief to all Trade ments, Borneo and Australia? Unionists, except those hopeless-Would a concensus of opinion by Red-minded. It is to be hoped that the opinion of the moderate elements of the Labour party will not be misled by the national cam-

Chang before the evacuation of the Shanghai area by the Northern troops. Ever since the Nationalist Conference at Hankow in. March when the Centralists and Rightists of the party made the a "Moscow-in-China" from which gist, creator of five garden cities a demand by the postal authority they disseminated propaganda 62 years of age, looks less than 50. The money order in question was and arms to stir up trouble in and says he feels less than 85. If cashed at Wattrelos Post Office, in areas which they had marked out anyone disputes this claim M. the Nord Department. Soon after for further conquest. Their plans gloves on with him and prove the posed to be named Delvoye, how have been frustrated. If the moist have been frustrated. If the point more Moderate elements of the M. Knap I found in his flat sur-Kuomintang were not already apparatus. He declares that if ed from there to Wattrelos after alive to the necessity of asserting human beings husied themselves the amount had been changed to themselves and expelling the Communists, there is evidence in mitting suicide," they might reach able to make such a change, and plenty that recent disclosures the age of 200 years." them.' And this in face of the have enlightened them to the said M. Knap, "reaches the age of amination rather like the "third they are really sincere, have de- high and low who regarded the the converse reasons. bour as a whole had lost all liking. end of an influence which for this industrial weapon. Conbeen entirely disruptive.

#### WINE AND POETRY.

HOW WU PEI-FU SPENDS HIS DAYS.

DOESN'T CARE WHO COMES.

Peking, March 14. "I wouldn't care if Marshal Chang Tso-lin should come to Chengchow, neither would I flee Pei-fu is reported to have declared recently. The Marshal has lost his

If But Marshal Wu is said to pay man was not on the panel nor had

## CHARLIE'S WIFE.

MRS. CHAPLIN TO RETURN

turn to the screen to support her allow any technical point such as

Buenos Aires, April 8.

LIVE TO 200.

DON'T SMOKE, DRINK, OR EAT MEAT

FRENCH SURGEON'S RECIPE.

after the age of 50 with renewing 41,000f. It seemed that only a their dying cells "instead of compostal employee could have been

fact that the lead against child suicidal madness of the course to 50, the stage when the cells compos- degree." For hours under a searchlabour in the factories has come which the plans of Moscow would ing his body lose their power, and ling cross-examination he protested from that moment onwards he be- his innocence, but at length, when from British manufacturers! In consign China. The Nationalists gins to decline. Sometimes the so fatigued that a police officer such vile and pernicious trash and at Hankow do not represent the decline starts as early as 45, or even described him as simply a wreck of in many other directions, the ex- Chinese people, or even a consider- 40, when hit is provoked by con- a man he signed a document not be man he signed as document not be man he signed tremists in the Labour ranks, if able portion of them. Chinese it starts a little later than 50 for

"By experimenting upon myself monstrated that they believe just ascendancy of the Communists as well as upon numerous friends, account for the whole of the money what it suits their purpose to be- and Labour Unions with an in- I have perfected a method, first, of found during a search of his home. creasing fear and hatred will be preventing the decline of the and declared that he had signed human body beginning as early as the promise of repayment produced heartened by the measures which 50 by means of a perfectly simple as his confession simply because have been taken against them by method which anyone can follow; he had been reduced by his "third Chiang Kai-shek and herald these and, secondly, I have found the degree" to a state of self-conscioussecret of rejuvenation by means of ness, in which he was prepared to measures as the beginning of the a catalysing agent which provokes sign anything. The jury at Douai has the reproduction of new cells in acquitted him after only ten the human body just as they take minutes deliberation, but the Postal place in childhood and early youth. Department persists , in its " claim No Meat: No Tobacco.

than 80 years' research. I am not prepared to reveal at present, but of"my method for arresting the decline which sets in about the age

"Nicotine is the deadliest poison and brings 75 per cent. of men to a premature grave. Alcohol also is distilled death because we abuse the use of it. The man of 50 should start at once to pass from the carnal to the vegetarian form of nutri-

"At 50 then begin every meal with dish of uncooked salad which contains the salts (or vitamins, as bonaceous foods-which destroy the

"If only we would follow these

#### A DOCTOR'S TIME. PEOPLE'S UNREASONABLE

CALLS. QUESTION OF COMPULSION.

shan of Shansi and General Chen he had summoned him to his father, print is as different from every

Panel Committee said that the old

that, continued the coroner, it is characteristics of the print.

The port workers have declared twenty-five years work in medical against the execution of Bacco and people with run for a doctor always Varietil which now a prease to be want him to so at once as a matter anything. Sir William Milligan, luminont Rotter & American Ber. of Urgency, without regard to other ex gentine attended innumerable

JUDICIAL DILEMMA.

STRANGE CASE OF A POSTAL

DIFFICULT FRENCH PROBLEM

closely, and found that it was really an order for only 1,000f, sent oriinquiries led to the arrest of Lamoney order, and promised to re-

pay the sum so obtained. On interrogation by the examining magistrate Lavallee was able to that he should pay the 41,000f for "The nature of my catalysing which they hold his written proegent, which is the result of more mise. He and his defenders contend that such a claim amounts to a rejection of the judgment rendered I am willing to explain the nature by the assize court, since the payment of the note in question might be deemed an admission of guilt by a man whom a competent tribunn! has declared innocent. The case has been taken up by the Postal Servants' Union.

#### TERROR FOR CRIMINALS.

LATEST DISCOVERY ABOUT FINGER PRINTS.

A striking advance has just some people prefer to call them) been made in the finger-print idenindispensable for the reconstitution tification method. The system of the cells of the human body, and invented by Alphonse Bertillon gradually cut down the car- has one important defect; sit is print—it is generally a small

no reason why in 200 years' time A jury in almost any country in evidence to convict a man, but they generally hesitate to record a conviction when the police have only a small corner of a print, as it has been, believed that, while full prints are always different, a small portion of one man's print might be similar to a small portion of another man's print.

Fragmentary Finger Prints. A great criminologist Dr. Unionists are the greatest suffer- make an agreement with Marshai inquest at Hackney on Bertillon system to a point of perference. The Chihli generals can doctor's arrival. The son of the "poroscopy." He magnified a family. If the Labour leaders alliance with General Yen Shih- tor did not come immediately after al size, and discovered that every

map of Mexico. Bistinguishing Pores. Dr. Locard who was greatly aided in his efforts by the reuse very little attention to this scheme. they any record of him.

On the other hand many of the Dr. Aronsohn said that four years searches of Mr. Herbert Wentof the weapon of a General Chihli leaders are reported to be ago he treated the man as a panel worth, of Dover, discovered that Strike, then there is all the more in favour of this project and to patient on the strength of his state. there are more than 2,000 pores ment that he was an insured per- on the end of a man's finger, that reason for a clearer definition beport of General Chin Yun-so and son. As a matter of fact he was every one of these pores has a not a panel patient. Despite that, different shape and a different on the day the son asked him to position in relation to the other attend he would have done so im- pores, and, finally, that these mediately, but at the time he was pores are neither changed by a overwhelmed with work, and when man's growth, nor by burns, nor the son came to him a few minutes by any other accident to the later he was abusive. He did go finger. He has studied the same Los Angeles. March 16.

Lita Grey Chaplin intends to reto the house as soon as possible pores in the same fingers for more

The new Bertillon formula is two babies. It is explained she the non-production of a patient's that not only every finger-print is cause she is unable to meet house-tending a case. The man was not different from every other print, hold bills. She is said to have re- on the panel, and the son, more- but that even a one-hundredth ceived only one hundred dollars over, was far from polite to the part of it is different from a oneweekly from Charlie Chaplin since doctor. He must inform the son hundredth part of any other print, a rejected \$2,500 a week and myalties not call, upon a doctor and say, fragment of cinger-print. Dr. for the appearance of herself and "This is my second visit. I was Locard makes a huge photograph her bables in the pictures. The here five minutes ago and I want of it, indicates 500 or 1,000 pores

bables are not permitted to appear. you at once.". There was no legal that are entirely different in shape compulsion on a doctor to go to a and relationship to one another patient simply because the patient from pores on other prints, and wanted to see him. "Apart from also indicates the other special

> You will never find a body of medical men unanimous about

### SHANGHAI "WAR" PRECAUTIONS.



Mr. Denis H. Hazell

Vigilance was maintained on the border of the French Concession at Shanghai the week before last when there were rumours of a possible massed attack from the direction of the Chinese city. Chinese refugees are shown applying for admission at the only barrier left open for traffic from the "old" city into the French Concession. A French soldier is searching a Chinese civilian and an Annamite soldier (on the left) is standing by

#### HOUSE WHERE CHIANG KAI-SHEK STAYED.



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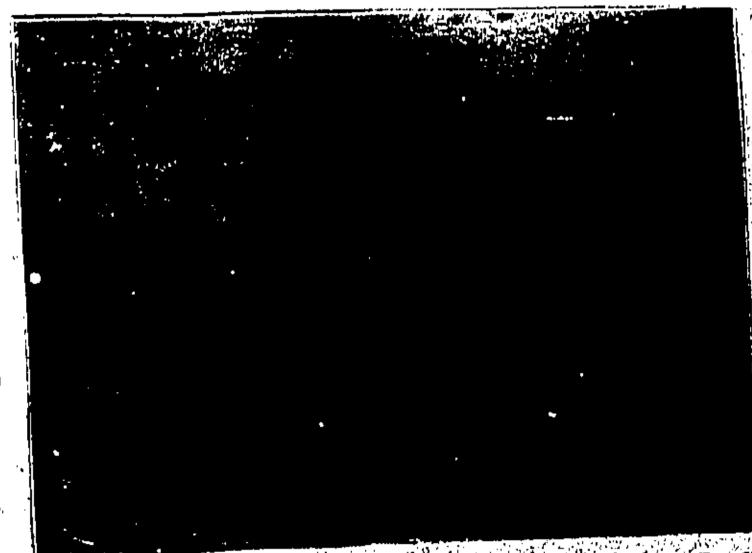
Making doubly sure! The Erench sentries carrying out a very careful search on Chinese fugitives from their own homes. Others are standing in the rear awaiting their turn to approach the French barrier. In the background (on the left) is the house where General Chiang Kai-shek (commander-in-chief of the Nationalist Armies) stayed when he first arrived at Shanghai (native city). The house was formerly used by Northern officials.

#### IN A HURRY TO SEEK SHELTER.



Mr. Donis H. Hazell. Strict Copyright: Here is another snapshot of the scene at the only French barrier that was left open. The Chinese city in the background is the "old walled city" to the south of Shanghai, not directly adjoining the International Settle-ment, and not to be confused with Chapei (to the north of and adjoining the International Settlement), where the British troops were engaged. It will be seen that none of the Chinese refugees carry baggage, they being in a hurry to get into the foreign concessions. "

### RESULT OF INCENDIARISM, AT CHAPEL



Mr. Denit H. Hasell.

had been tried on, as paper and pins.

had been taken from the cleeves and

The goods stolen include 8 byon-

ing gowns, 15 day frocks, a number

the fastenings had been undone.

Strict Copyright. Ruins of a block of houses set on fire just outside the Settlement, near Dixwell Road. The Municipal Fire Brigade went from Hongkew into Chapel where they fought the flames behind a screen of Japanese marines. While snipers potted away at them, the firemen saved several houses. The Chinese Br gade worked at another end to stop the blaze extending. Cap-tain J. Gordon Dyson and Mr. Basil Hunting drave the Municipal fire engines. themselves, with a volunteer Chinese "crew."

#### WOMAN BURGLAR.

GOWNS TRIED ON BEFORE. REMOVAL.

Included among burglars who cellaneous goods. raided the premises of Madame One of the burglars must have Zoe, a costumier, in Harewood-been very small, as apparently anplace, Hanover square, W., is trance had been effected first believed to have been a woman who through a small lan-light after tried on some, gowns before they which the door had been opened.

The value of the goods stolen is To speak of the ultimate des cast rain, is the official weather, stated to be between \$600 and \$100. Madame Zoe told a reporter that himston of the fron Members of forecast till noon to morrow for the burgiors took the best of the his House is not in order. The House kong the sulfacent coast French models Some of the sowns Speaker.

#### EVELESS EDEN.

SETTLEMENT FOR 21 MEN

A MISANTHROPIC COLONY.

"No women; nostrouble!" Such is the slogan of Captain Christensen, leader of the Santa

(says the "Sunday Chronicle.")

sight, the violet mists of the south-

South America.

Eternal Entanglements. crawl lazily under burning equa-Ishto be without a woman.

Why upon this erstwhile base of ing them back to Christ Church. the old-time buccaneers? Why on It will take at least a week for a this far-off isle uninhabited these dozen workmen to repair the many years? Captain August Christensen,

leader of the expedition, answers:-"Because where there are women there is trouble. We are taking over Santa Maria to escape the eternal entanglements of a womanridden civilisation."

The personal experience of these Adams who will have no more of Eve. has been bitter. Three are

Dead Buccancers! without bills or bickerings.

have chosen a more perfect place. with luxuriant vegetation.

soil, and the whale fishing.

Centuries ago, this glowing isle buccaneers who used it as their headquarters, and whose bones have grown white under the sun. Ribbed Skeletons.

Old barrels, mere ribbed skele- limestone, and, of course, tar. tons, leathern bottles, ancient firealone remain to tell the tale of forbloodshed, and debauch.

In those days it was known as

Santa Maria abounds in wild day, a dim shadow on the horizon, industry the Empire afforded the Juan Fernandez Island, where Robinson Crusoe was marconed,

First Revolution.

What will be the second chapter this romantic adventure? It is foreshadowed by an incident that happened a few weeks ago.

One evening a member nof the "Floreaga's" crew went ashore. When he came back to the ship, he announced his intention of withdrawing from the enterprise. He had been regarded as one of the most bitter of woman haters,

Alas! his escape was prevented at the eleventh hour by the wiles of a woman. He found that Eve, after all, is not so bad, not so destitute of charms, that one need flee from her so far as the Equator ....

In the days to come there may be a rebel who will take courage from the ghosts of the dead buccaneers, and lift aloft the jazz flag of modern Eve and declare for the admission of women.

And when that day arrives, perhaps a few among the little company of misanthropes will slip over to his side and bring about the first revolution in the Eveless Paradise, Time will show; meanwhile the graceful lines of the "Florenna" as she lies in the harbour of San Francisco are an object of deep interest to every bobbed-haired of fur-lined coats, and other mis- maiden.

WEATHER FORECAST.

N.II. winds, moderate; over-

### AN OXFORD RAG.

MUCH DAMAGE AT CHRIST

A "rag," which resulted in considerable damage being done to Christ Church College, occurred following the Bullingdon Club dinner. The University Maria Island settlement for men authorities tried to keep the matter secret, but it has now come to In a few days' time the magnificalight that, after dinner at the cently-fitted auxiliary schooner Bullingdon Club, members re-"Floreana" will steam for a dream turned to Christ Church armed isla in the romantic Galapagos with hockey sticks, copper kettles, carrying with her nine passengers, pieces of coal, and other things. all men, bound for an Eveless Eden which could be used as destructive weapons, and proceeded to When the glittering ship, with bombard the windows and elecher strange company, fades from tric globes in Peckwater Quad. where most of the damage was for the first act of an astonishing Quad. In a short space of time real-life drama. The nine men are sailing to join there was not one window in their twelve misanthropic com- Peckwater Quad left intact. Glass rades who have been busy building was strewn about everywhere, bungalows amid the tropic vegeta- and in many instances, the tion that mantles the tiny island of window frames were completely Santa Maria, in the Galapagos smashed and the wreckage allow-Group, off the coast of Ecuador, ed to remain. Some part of the wreckage was used to create fur- | COMING EVENTS ANNOUNCED ther damage. Over 500 panes of Here, where such giant tortoises glass were broken, yet there were as Louis de Rougemont describes, no casualties unless it is that some are now suffering with colds or of two hundred volcanoes now and influenza through sleeping in too then spume forth burning ashes and airy rooms. Before arriving at smoke, the twenty-one adventurers Christ Church the same underwill make their home. That home graduates had broken panes of glass in a bus which was bring-

#### CHEMICAL INDUSTRY.

British Confidence in the Future.

An interesting review of the chedivorced; the other eighteen are mical industry was given by Sir Max separated from their wives. They Muspratt at a luncheon of the Royal have tried the orthodox Eden and Colonial Institute, held at the Canfound it a place of strife; they are non Street Hotel, under the chairgoing to have a new one of their manship of Lord Stanley of Alder-

Sir Max Muspratt was giving an Emancipated from feminine address on "The Chemical Industry thraldom, they fondly picture a life and the Empire," and mentioned of harmonious bliss, an existence that this industry was a barometer of the prosperity of the country, for For their purpose, they could not in a small or large way it entered into every other industry in the Santa Maria, like the other isles world. In the early days of the of this burning archipelago, has a war we were told that there was no by the Peruvian current. The that was wrong, for we had always Chinese Club, in Club premises, 8 perfect climate, tropical, but cooled chemical industry in Britain, but scenery is opulently magnificent been the greatest exporters of p.m. chemicals in the history of the The Eucadorian Government has world. True, there were certain granted the land to the Eveless branches in which we were a little Club, Club-house, 5.45 p.m. colonisers who are anticipating, not deficient, but it was interesting to only tranquil domestic lives, but the recall that in chemicals, a field in China Light & Power Co., Ltd., piling up of vast fortunes from the which our late enemies though cultivation of the amazingly prolific they were surest, the balance turned in our favour. The great need in the industry was still for reechoed to the drunken shouts of search, and in this respect we had splendid resources in intellectual power. We had, too, the advantage of having the prime necessities raw material, such as coal, sal

was necessary that each one of Rd. Kowloom valuable household locks and awe-inspiring sabres, these advantages should be pressed furniture, 2.45 p.m. to the full, so that not a single! gotten acts of high seas' piracy, chance of Imperial development should be lost. In many ways Catholic Cathedral, Glenealy, 6 p.m. electric power could replace coal. Preacher: Rev. Fr. G. Byrne, S.J. Charlie's Island, so named after a circumpower count replace coal Prescher: Rev. 12. dinner of notorious cut-throat follower of the Canada had some of the finest April 9-Annual dinner of notorious cut-throat follower of the water-power in the world, and Tas- Quean's College Old Boys' Associa-Black Flag. Later, for a short mania was well supplied in this tion. College Hall. 8 p. 1.10.

then it returned to its eternal respect: Processes by which it. April 10—Opening of St. George out on a vast scale in Britain, and April 26-Mr. Harry Ore gives would, in due course, be available Beethovan Centenary Recital at the Colony meat in plenty. On a clear to the Empire as a whole. For the Theatre Royal, 9:15 p.m. most valuable market, the chemical Committee of Victoria Diocesan exports to Australia, with her Assen, "at home" to members and sparse population, being only 25 per friends at Helena May Institute, cent. less than those to China.

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#### BRITISH INDUSTRIES FAIR.

Seven Chinese were amongst the 1.600 foreign buyers who visited the British Industries Fair at the White City in mail week, and placed orders with British firms. Besides, the London' buyers of numerous big trading concerns in the Far East helped to swell the vast total of the business done.

War as a science is still in its infancy.-Rev. Dr. F. W. Noor-

#### Shadows Before.

IN THE "MAIL."

Hand of a team on the April 9 Queen's Theatre: "The Coast of Folly." · April 9-World Theatre; "Hands

April 9-Star Theatre: "The Story Without a Name." April 9 First performance of

"Molly Kennedy" at the Naval Canteen Theatre. April 9-Theatre Royal! H.M.S. "Pinafore," 9.30 p.m. April 10 Concert by the Massed Bands of the 1st Bn. The

Cameronians and 1st Bn. The Middlesex Regt., Queen's Theatre, 9.20 p.m. April 11-The Hong Kong Dance Club's grand opening Carnival Dance at Lane Crawfords, at 9 p.m.,

April 9-Fanling Hunt Steeplechase, 3.15 p.m. April 10-Third annual athletic sports of Sacred Heart College on

H.K.F.C. ground, Happy Valley, April 16 Seventh tournament of the Hong Kong Boxing Assn. at Theatre Royal 9:15 p.m. April 16-18 Second Extra Race Meeting of Hong Kong Jockey Club,

Race Course, Happy Valley. April 20 Seventh bi-annual race for the "Trevessa" Trophy, commencing 4 p.m.

Meetings. April 9 .- Annual meeting of the

April 14-Twenty-seventh annual meeting of Kowloon Bowling Green April 21-Second Meeting of

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#### LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

In spite of the influx of people into Shanghai, it is interesting to note that 73 houses and rooms, are advertised to let, and four houses for sale.

"Bob your hair: it is the badge of freedem:" This is the exhorta-tion made by female agitators and speakers to the women in various towns and cities in Chekiang which have recently been included in the Cantoness sphere of conquest.

Four cases of notifiable .disease, all Chinese in the city registration district, occurred in the Colony on Friday. Two of the cases are of small-pox and other two of enteric fever (typhoid).

working order, were washed ashore task of the Defence Forces in proht Brooke Isle of Wight. They tecting the Settlement. was rendered harmless by experts from the mining school at Portsmouth, and both are to be examined by the naval authorities.

of the Jones, family, 70 people call- the 1st/Cameronians), at the evened Davies, and 69 named Evans, ing service. The Thomases came next with 36, followed by 31 Williamses.

able shortly when Dr. "Pilgrim of lawyers' certificates issued by the the Geological Survey of India, Peking Government. This publishes a paper telling of the have, if true, a serious effect, as discovery of the palate and lower it will affect practically every jaw of a fessil ape, at Bilaspur. Dr. | Chinese | legal | practitioner nearly 1,000,000 years ago, whereas tionalist Government in Shanghai. the earliest hitherto obtained is not more than 250,000 years. He considers it possible that among becoming a home for secret divorce the fossil apes of India will be found the actual human ancestor.

Representations have been moved from its present position in the present session the number was the Guildhall or Charing Cross. 282 undefended cases has The London Stone was once used notified! Commenting on the to the present site in 1798. Before of medieval carts had chipped and promote injustice, and I am certain a small stone landmark. It is lican of divorce proceedings tends argued that the situation of the to whitewash, infidelity." stone in its present position is not suitable for measuring distances and that placing it at Charing Cross or Westminster Bridge would again allow its practical use as a point from which distances could be : measured.

The Hong Kong order proclaiming Vladivostok a place where an infectious disease prevailed has been rescinded. Bangkok has now been declared a place where un infectious disease prevails.

The sale of No. 9 Man Chung Fong Terrace, Happy Valley, and No. 15 Warren Street, Tai Hang, which was to have taken place in two lots at Messrs. Lammert Bros. auction rooms yesterday afternoon, was postponed.

The Shanghai Municipal Council desires to thank all residents for the loyal manner in which they have complied with the Council's regulation that they should remain within their houses between the hours of 10 p.m. and 4 a.m. " The ready compliance rendered by re-Two British mines, one still in sidents has greatly facilitated the

'Army Padres will preach at Union Church (Kennedy Road) to-Association. The Rev. F. P. W. In a company of about 700 at Alexander (Presbyterian Chaplain street, W.C., there were 89 members G. Douglas Sempill (Chaplain to

According to a Hankow report, effected by the air route. the Ministry of Justice in Hankow A scientific sensation is prob- has decided not to recognise the

That England is in danger of as a result of enforced newspaper secrecy is stressed by the rapid increase in the number of cases. At the beginning of last year's sessionmade to the City of London urging of the Divorce Court there were that the lamous London Stone be | 452 cases. At the commencement of to measure distances on the great preventing the publication of remilitary read leading from London. ports of divorce suits, Sir Ernest It was formerly on the south side Wild, the Recorder of London, of Cannon Street, but was moved speaking at the Press Club, said "I am sure that the absence of the worn it from the original pillar to that the Act prohibiting the pub-

LOCAL WEATHER REPORTS.

manent call sign G.O.W.

Four desperadoes, believed to be Communists, rushed into the police headquarters, Sofia, and carried off £15,000 under cover of a bomb explosion which killed the chief of the political

Gen. Hsu Han-shen has been appointed by Gen. Chiang Kaishek to the post of commander of the anti-smuggling forces in Shanghai. This position was formerly occupied by Gen. Ho-Chia-lu, who was killed in battle at Changyen.

According to Information from the Nationalist Military Headquarters, the 1st Buttalion of the Nationalists was sent from Socchow to surround the four thousand leaderless soldiers of Gen. Pih Shu-cheng at Quinsan. These delivered their arms without any

morrow when the collections will Teheran and Baku by way of the be on behalf of the Borderers Persian port of Enzeli, on the Caspian Sea, will begin early this summer. It will be inaugurated the St. David's Day banquet at the to the Forces) will be in the pulpit by the German Junker aviation con-Connaught Rooms. Great Queen- at the morning service and the Rev. cern, whose concession has just been approved by the Soviet authorities. The journey is now undertaken by boat and caravan, and a great saving of time will be

At a very busy London crossing the policeman on point duty was working valiantly with scarcely time to breathe, keeping the thoroughfare clear. Then a Pilgrim considers the remains as | Shanghai. It is known that there | dear old | lady approached him. probably the remote ancestor of are not more than two lawyers "Pardon me, constable," she said, man and belonging to a period of holding certificates from the Na- "but have you seen a pickpocket. around here with a silk handkerchief marked 'Angelina'? Somebody's just stolen it from me!"

The St. Paul's Cathedral Preservation Committee announces that the architects and engineers have reported that they are well satisfied with the condition of the Cathedral, and that the wall of St. Swithin's Church to 488, and for the last two months there is no foundation for the recent alarming rumours. The present process of cementation, adds the committee, is fulfilling its object.

Addressing the Canadian it was moved weather and buffets Press from any trial tends to Club, Toronto, the Commonwealth Trade Commissioner (Sir Hugh Dennison) predicted that the next forty or fifty years would see the centre of the Empire's wealth and "population shift from the North Sea to Canada and Australia. What The Royal Observatory W/T happened to the United States in Station has been allotted the per- the last century would happen to Canada and Australia.

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL NEWS.

Mrs. R. H. Kotewall (the wife C.M.G., LL.D.) is giving away the prizes at the annual sports of Sacred Heart College to-morrow.

The War Office announces the appointment of Colonel A. Girdwood to command the troops in Ceylon in succession to Major-General: Higginson. 🕙

Notice is given in the "London Gazette" that Mr. David Ivor Davies, the actor-manager, of Aldwych, W.C., a natural born British subject, has by deed-pollchanged his name to Ivor Novello, the name by which he is now generally known. His mother is Mme. Clara Novello Davies, who is a leading teacher of singing.

The death is announced, at the age of 69, of Sister Marie-Flavie, one of the first, French woman missionaries to go to India. She was appointed Provincial Superior of Bangalore, and was head of a European school of 1,000 children, together with a native secondary

mittee of the Victoria Diocesan

News has been received by cable of the death from pneumonia, at. Brighton on March 23, of Major Catesby Burn Murdoch, late of Montagu, whose marriage to A. M. Burn Murdoch, formerly Conservator of Forests, S.S. and F.M.S.

Hong Kong property to the value of \$89,100 was left by the late Mr. L. Fontaine, who died at Dijon, Department of Cote d'or, France. Hong Kong estate to the value of \$10,700 was left by Mr. J. Plummer, late of Messra. W. F. Stevenson and Co., Manila, who died at Edinburgh, Letters of Administration in respect of the first will have The tragedy was that the last of all glass-roofed conservatory, which been granted to Mr. G. G. N. Tinson | the mice died in Petrograd before is being converted into a sitting and a rescaling of Testament Mr. Montagu sailed for home. And room for the Duckess L room in Dative has been granted to Mr. W. B. L. Shenton in respect of the second.

A London message announces the of the lion. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, death of Mr. Henry Frowde, previously publisher to the University President of China, about whom of Oxford. He was 86 years of

> The death took place in Kobe a fortnight ago of Mr. P. Hagen, of heart failure... Mr. Hagen, who was one of the oldest foreign residents in Kobe, was 58 years old and he went to Kobe in 1896, since which time he has been engaged in the stevedoring business.

Smallwood, Mr. W. P. W. Turner, the Shanghai Municipal Council. Mr. H. G. Lowder, and the Rev. J. T. Holman.

the Rev. Dr. Thomas Burns, chair- writer in "Answers"), whether The vice-chairman and come main of the Board of the Scottish | there are British girls who frown National Institution for Blinded a little when his name is mention-Association will be "at home" to Sailors and Soldiers," "which ed. For feminine beauty members and friends at the Helena is the body responsible for the awards the palm to Australia. "In May Institute on Wednesday, April maintenance of Newington House, no other part of the world," he 27. Tea will be served at 4.80 p.m. Edinburgh, a home for men who says, "have I seen such a complete the Rev. W. W. Rogers will speak on the training of Ordination candidates for the Chinese Church in South China and the Rev. C. B. Sect of Dr. Burns' visit was to meet good dancers. Not one girl I have Shann will give a short address. his younger son, who is on the met there has bored me," he adds. Galang Rubber Estates, relative to a family bereavement.

Nobody can accuse Mr. Ivor

West Country estate, Kajang, and typist has just been announced, of formerly manager of the F.M.S. not being able to keep a secret, Rubber Co., who retired from says a "Daily Mail" writer, When Ebology was considerable

Last Sunday was the birthday of Marshal Tuan Chi-jui, an exlittle has been heard since the latest political upset "started. Many Chinese politicians went to Tientsin to see the venerable Marshall, who is still regarded as leader of the Anfu party.

The staff of H.B.M. Legation at Peking is shortly to be strengthened by the appointment of Mr. J. C. Sterndale Bennett, C.M.G., M.C., az Second Secretary of Legation. Mr. Sterndale Bennett arrived Sir Miles Lampson, the British Shanghai last Wednesday by the Minister to China, was elected str. "President Pierce," and leaves President of the Peking Royal for Peking to-day. He has, the Society of St. George at the annual advantage of having worked direct-general meeting. For Vice-Presi- ly under Sir Miles Lampson in the dent the members chose Mr. G. E. Hubbard, and Mr. R. W. Paulden of the Diplomatic Mission at the treasurer. The Committee election resulted in the listing of the band. She is a cousin of Mr. E. S. following:—Lieut. Col., H. St. Clair Benbow, Rowe, late Secretary of the Shanghai Municipal Council of the Shanghai Municipal of the Shanghai Municipal Council of the Shanghai Municipal Council of the Shanghai Municipal of the Shanghai of the

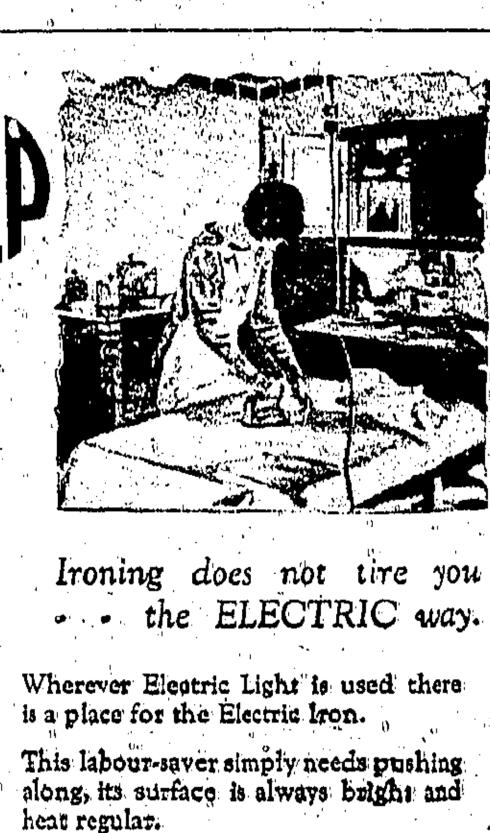
Sir Alan Cobham is one of 'the

most deservedly popular men of Among visitors to Singapore is the day, but I wonder (says. "They did not enthuse, ask questions about flying, and talk piffle. I found them most restful." Do British girls talk piffle, and cannot they be restful? Sir Alan's reflections give one food for thought.

Piles of sand stacks of bricks. Malaya about five years ago. He a friend of mine met him at dinner boards, planks, and all the building was the brother of the late Mr. a week or two ago he talked of impedimenta associated with the many things, including the furnish- conversion of an old house into a ing of his chambers in the Temple. new one, are now to be seen in But there was no hint of a the forefront of 145 Piccadilly romance in his eye. He was .. in (says the "Daily Chronicle.") The great spirits otherwise, however, house is becoming a favourite spot He told the story of the precious with sight-seers many of whom white mice which he brought all find it hard to believe that the prethe way from the Caucasus, and of sent chaos can possibly be reduced the vigil kept in the guard's van to order so that the house will be to see that none escaped on the ready for the Duke and Duchess of journey back to Moscow. Two did, York to live in on their reas a matter of fact, but they were turn. But the builders say it will, recaptured after a stern chase Particular interest is taken in the as they are not to be found else which be svill be the prejominatwhere the loss to Cambridge ing colour and which is to have a duique lighting system.

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It is suggested that a series of races for the racing yachts should be held in which the conditions would be that no member should said his own boat and boats should be changed for each race. . This would mean that the number of races would be one less than the number of entries. The first race would be sailed during the coming probably on Wednesday, starting, at 5215 p.m. from Murray Pier. Will those members who wish to take part send their names as soon as possible to the sailing secretary of the Yacht Club so that he may make arrangements?

Grey Morn 153, Home Call 153 Espoir 152, Loong Wn 152, King of Kipling said "What do they know the Plains 150, Dick Lo 149, Valour of England, who only England know?" I would apply the same to Hong Kong and lead those who wish to know more of this quite delightful territory further afield [] and show them igs beauties from points of vantage other than from

a motor-car. The roads of our territories take us to many benutiful spots. But Deep Water Baywis even prettier and even more serene, when viewed from the comfortable cockpit of a "good fittle ship" or the low chair on the deck of a Chinese rigged eruiser, than from the road which class (11% miles) - Misty Eve 170 skirts itseedge.

I wonder how many have appreciated the quietness and calm of evenings in the many anchorages of Port Shelter.

Hebe Haven is a perfect picture at even-tide with the blue grey a smoke rising from the various villages detted round its shore. In the morning one slips quietly over the side for a "tub" what time the tan' (eggs) and hails, 'returning 160, Golden, Hall 156, King Alan' sampans for fish which, by the time i one has dressed, is served in per- Circe 148, Fire Call 148, Spotted haps a rough and ready manner but | Sand 148, Salvo 148, Furzefield 148, none the less it becomes in such Plum Pudding 143, Sugar Loaf 143.

you that it will be a very healthful Kwan Tao 148, The Grig 147, since died) was to have been with Own Scottish Borderers) recreation, bringing with it much | Bagheern 147. peace of mind. It may well lead ! to the development of a hobby class (1 mile):-Misty Eve 165 lbs., Whitaker's stable. which is so well described by The Goblin 165. Attaboy 161, The Royal stable has been

than fooling among boats? He H 154, The Gomeril 154, Espoir 148, been weeded out or supermust have never seen a boat, or Papyrus 148, Loong Wa 148, King annuated, and fresh blood has never seen an office, who say so, of the Plains 148, August 146, been introduced in a quiet way. and for certain the one is a great Baccarat 145, September 143, Sun- lis Majesty's stable experienced deal better for the health."

But I would warn you that once you commit yourself to the hobby of "small boats" it will be calling to you ever after.

#### LADIES' GOLF.

SIX-A SIDE MATCH AT FANLING.

A match was played on the Royal Hong Kong Golf Club old Wolfe. course at Fanling when a team of six ladies representing the Army cher. and Royal Navy was defeated by i the ladies' section, the latter winning 5½ points to ½. The Peel. teams were as under:-

#### "Civillans."

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Mrs. Sommerfelt	10.12
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#### "Army and Navy."

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The competition for a cut-glass Bowi presented by Mrs. Maitland was won by Mrs. Dodwell who defeated Mrs. Sankey in the final

Sacred Heart College hold their 3rd annual athletic sports on the H.K.F.C. ground, Happy Valley, to-morrow, commencing at 11 a.m. A 220 yards flat race and a tug-of-war (married w. single) are open to members of the away the prizes at the close.

FLAT RACING PROSPECTS

HOME TURF.

TRAINERS & JOCKEYS.

London, March 24. "They're off again." Flat-EASTER. (2ND) EXTRA RACE racing officially commenced to-MEETING.

Weights were issued yesterday Switzerland or the Riviera, Many bout here. racing to-day is a sport of the It should be noted that if a pony running in a handicap, 5 lbs. is favourites gallop better than they Colony (and belt). Morris is did in the "black" season of 1926. well known in the Colony as a fine Races for two-year-olds have boxer and hard hitter. Race 1. Boa Vista Handicap "B" attracted enormous entries, a re-

#### £200 GOLF CUP:

#### Abe Mitchell Wins Season's 1st Big Prize.

London, April 8. Abe Mitchell won the first big golf tournament of the season, the Rochampton £200 invitation competition, beating E. Whitcombe of Bournemouth by 3 and t in the final, and making the Cup his absolute property by 148, Baccarat 147, Sunburst Rose | Winning twice in succession. Reuter.

Loch Rannoch 152. Tangle 152. of horses in training at the preto be difficult to win with two-Race 9. Kellett Handicap, "A" year-olds early in the season.

Most owners, trainers and lbs., Astaboy 166, Brigade Call 166. Ukelele 165, Total Abstinence 161, jockeys have made their arrange- contests. The Gomeril 158, Laceda II 158, ments for the season, F. Butters now trains for Lord Derby, and Battle Eve 158, Flash Star 158, Espoir 150; Duagon Boat 150, King Weston, who headed the list of of the Plains 150. Baccarat 147. successful jockeys last year, is

again the stable jockey. Race 2, Mirs Bay Francieap "C"

class (1 mile):-Saracen 161 lbs., Jellis and his trainer, A. Taylor, Grey Streak 160. Loch Rannoch has also secured first claim on 153, Borderer 153, Scoter 150, R. Jones and J. Brennan.

The King's Stable.

The "veteran" jockey Fox, who Race 3, Mirs Bay, Handicap "B" distinguished himself; last season, Now I can see the questioning class (1 mile):—Grande del Norte is still going strong with retain- up to championship class.

> F. Gilpin, and the ever-popular Marine Watts (H.M.S. Hermes"), Race 9, Mirs Bay Handicap "A" Steve Donoghue rides for Capt. middleweights.

Robert Louis Stevenson who wrote Brigade. Call 161, Ukelele 160, strengthened a good deal. Several will anyone dare to tell me Total Abstinence 157, Macao strengthened a good deal. Several that business is more entertaining Beauty 155, Battle Eve. 154, Laceda old mares at Sandringham have a lean time last season, but many of the big owners who breed on a far vaster scale have had the same experience of going through Burlington House, opened recently cities and towns anxious to help season after season without are at least two whose value was France adopted those French winning many races.

### G \$25,000 SWIM.

RACE ROUND CATALINA ISLAND.

"CHANNEL" MAN'S HOPE.

9.52. P. P. J. Wodehouse, C. A. to swim the Catalina Channel board. (and one of those to swim the While the mistress of the house 9.56 W. N. Buyers, H. C. B. Way. English Channel) announced the gleam of paint. She that he had been backed to the scrubbed the panel clean, took it to extent of G\$25,000 by W. W. an art expert and was surprised to the look of the scrubbed the panel clean, took it to an art expert and was surprised to the look of the look of the scrubbed the panel clean, took it to an art expert and was surprised to the look of 10.08 S. T. Butlin, N. K. Little- Compton of Long Beach for a discover that it was a masterpiece. round-Catalina Island-swim to Unfortunately the scars made the Speaker of the House of Comtake place between June 15 and by the opening and shutting of the mons has just undergone a periodi-10.16 N. L. Smjth, E. D. Matthews.

Sullivan, who is not a speed. on the painting. 10.24 J. H. D. Crawford, H. swimmer, but an endurance "p ddler" stated that the fifty-10.28 F. A. Perry, W. A. Butter- mile race around the island would be won by the swimmer with the greatest endurance, and that he believed the swim could be successfully completed. The water at that time of the year is several the swimmers considerably.

Endurance, Not Speed. Sullivan and his friends and the Warsaw.

endurance rather than speed.

#### LOCAL BOXING.

WELLTER "BELT" CONTEST AGAIN.

NEW "STARS" ON APRIL 16.

As hinted some time ago after a report (in these columns), of an "exhibition spar" by Able Seaman Bennett of H.M.S. "Witherington." he is to meet Stoker Trainers and jockeys have re- Norman Morris of H.M.S. turned from holiday-making in "Hermes", " in a champlonship

To-morrow the race for the "U for the Handicaps in the Hong owners and breeders talk of in- Wong Roving Association is

Morris and Bennett are matched over 15 rounds for the welterweight championship of the

Splendid Reputation. Bennett comes with a splendid reputation. As outlined at the time, his career is crammed with good fights, perhaps the best being that in which he lost on points to Sonny Bird of Chelsea after 15 rounds. There is confidence in his camp that he will give Morris his hardest "go" here, whether Bennett wins or

The other "Hermes" stalwart. Able Seaman Ewin, also meets a new "star." Ewin has won one welterweight belt, outright. returned the second to the H.K.B.A. when he could not make the weight. Then he lost the middleweight title to Morris, his shipmate.

Bent Morris Before. minder of the immense number [India], of H.M.S. "Enterprise:" effect that England owes Verdun Evans had a victory over Morris a large sum of money which was sent time. It is clearly going some years ago and his clash lent to Englishmen who were inwith Ewin, will be eagerly looked terned in that town for eleven forward to, They meet over 10 years from 1803 to 1814. In rounds at the middleweight limit. 1923 the then Mayor of Verdun,

> their showing, on the previous liard and a half of paper francs. be matched again.

Two K.O.S.B. Men.

ther. What will it all cost? Well, Call 161, San Diego 161, Grey Another of the old school, Joe (2nd/King's Own Scottish Bor- lawred of the entry of the Alliest way on have a "good little chin" Knight 159 Barley Grees 165 The ther. what will it all cost? Well, San Diego 101, Grass 155, The your can have a "good little ship" Knight 159, Barley Grass 155, The and can run her for no more than the cost and upkeep of a moderate-the cost and upkeep of a moderate-the cost and upkeep of a moderate-the cost and I can assure by powered car and I can assure 150, Tangle 150; Bright Eve 148, Archibald (the American who has by powered car and I can assure 150, Tangle 150; Bright Eve 148, Archibald (the American with Own Scottish Borderers) v. Able Seaman New-learned of the entry of the Allies chief the cost and upkeep of a moderate-the cost and I can assure 150, Tangle 150; Bright Eve 148, Archibald (the American who has learned of the entry of the Allies chief the cost and upkeep of a moderate-the cost and I can assure to be a cost and I can assure to the cost and I can assure to be a cost and I ca

"Days for booking are in an advertisement on page 3.

PAINTER'S MASTERPIECE USEI AS CHILDREN'S TOY.

Among the art freasures at the empty-handed. exhibition of Flemish masters at for long unsuspected.

is a treasured master-piece.

"Scenes from the Life of the Vir- during the Napoleonic wars. gin," was, until hardly three months ago, used as a panel on the bottom Henry Sullivan, the second man of a drawer in an old kitchen side-

sideboard drawers are noticeable cal "spring-cleaning."

#### MARRIAGE BANISHED.

A LADYS IMPRESSION OF

In Russia they had done away Churchill, who, when opening a William Wrigley, Jr., was in schools at Slough, mentioned that used it on State occasions. terviewed at Wilmington by she had just come back from Despite its being used so rarely, On Biogapore -

between 300 and 350 athletes to swimming the greatest distance gradation of the unfortunate the horses. the Olympic Games at Amsterdam will receive the money, even if people there. A great many of he does not complete the race. In their beautiful churches were A liner will be chartered to use case of each awimmer swimming turned into cinemas and garages



Sir William Orpen, famous Eng-Hsh portrait palater and President of the" international "Society wor Sculptors, and Painters, recontly stated his aversion to bobbed hair and declared that his "soul revolts when he has to paint a crop," He predicted that bobbed halr would not last long, and that 'it "will never inspire a type in art comparable to the ancient Greek type.

ENGLAND'S DEBT TO "VERDUN.

There is an echo of the Napo-Ewin now meets Stoker Evans leonic wars in the claim, publish-(welter and middles champion of ed in several newspapers, to the There are two more 10 round Messire Desgroding, put the amount of England's indebtedness Leading Seaman Hall boxes 10 at 3,534,874f, and an ingenious rounds with Leading, Seaman calculator, reckoning compound Baker at the lightweight limit. linterest on this sum, has now in-They have met before and if creased Verdun's credit to a mil-

occasion had in any way not come. According to the published. Lord Aster has retained H. up to standards, they would not story of how it comes about that Verdun is a creditor of England. it was Bonaparte, as First Consul, round bout who, on May 22, 1803, decided is between that all the English people then Stoker Gould (H.M.S. "Hermes") in France should be interned. and Able Seaman Hindle (H.M.S. There were more than 1,000, and "Delhi"). Both are practically 700 of them were sent to Verdun. In 1814 Napoleon gave the order look appearing on the face of those 165 lbsv, Grey Morn 165. King of ers from trainers Scobie, Gooch, The two 6-round preliminaries for them to be sent to Blois.

Who might arribon the idea for Tray 165. The Googan 161. However, the trainers of the idea for the ide ment of the debts contracted. demanding the intervention of the Duc de Richelieu, the Foreign Minister of Louis XVIII. In 1831 Tallerand. French Ambassador in London, presented Verdun's bill and in 1836 and 1839 French deputations went to England for the purpose of obtaining payment, supported by the Government of Louis Philippe. They returned

When, after the War, English towns which had suffered "fron For years "The Painter and His the ravages of war, the City of Wife" (The Master of Frankfort, London came forward and render 1496) was used as a toy. It was ed munificent help to Verdun dragged around an Epsom garden this fact is not forgotten to-day. by children who used it as a go-cart. Then it was given to the cook the of the house as a present. Now it its efficacious assistance, but it is pointed out that these "generou. Another priceless painting of the gifts" cannot be regarded as com-Flemish School of about 1,400, pensation for the debts contracted

#### SPEAKER'S COACH. 200-YEARS-OLD VEHICLE

RARELY USED.

The magnificent state coach of

Said to have been designed by a Dutch artist, and to have been given winter months, which would aid and with every kind of worship, to the Speaker by Queen Anne, it is Ond.madd with gold. Upon the panels are Un demand beautiful pictures as well as the On Calcutta bazaar in aid of the Church crests of the Speakers who have

the coach is kept in perfect trim. chewing-gum king sent a cable to She would like, if only she had When in the coachhouse it is swath- On Manie-The American Olympic Games George Young, asking him if he time (she said) to tell them of ed in sheets to keep the dust off, and Un demand. Committee, announces that the wished to race Sullivan, the stories that she heard of the every month it is taken out and On Shankhai United States will send a team of According to Sullivan the man misery, want, disease, and de conchhouse in the state harness for between 800 and 250 athletes to between 800 and 250 athletes to between 800 and 250 athletes to be state harness for the state harness

as a hotel while the games are the same distance, the man or She thought they would agree No sest in a theatre is worth those Copper Cash in progress.

It is planned to raise a fund of be awarded the prize. The swim home were two of the most and no actor or actres is worth whome but. The swim home were two of the most and no actor or actres is worth whome but. The swim home were two of the most and no actor or actres is worth whome but.

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Captain F. Kingdon Ward, the botanist and explorer has just returned to England after a 12 months' journey to Burma, Assam, and Tibet. The expedition collected about 5,000 specimens of plants, birds and insects, which have been forwarded to Kew Gardens, Elinburgh, or the Natural History Massum

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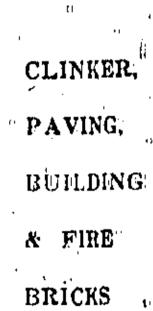


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The advertisement blazons forth cable is as follows:the advantage of the Constantingscocar, which is claimed to operate current of a huge motor merger inwithout gears or clutch. A two volving Dodge, Nash, Packaid and three seater torpedo body model is Mack truck companies. If the meradvertised at £215 complete, and the ger materialises, the new corpora-

the engine. No gears or clutch are he behind the move." required. The converter has the in- Dodge Bros. (Inc.) has as precontrols of any kind beyond the directors, including Horace lto be used.

or on an upward gradient."

There are many motorists who would hall with delight a car in the holding company for the Interwhich genuchanging was unnecessary, and the advent of the car overseas will be awaited with interest.

#### CLEANSING OF WORKS AND GARAGES.

than 13 of the smaller type of controlled factories cover 1,700,000 Lacre sweeper. This very considerable fleet is to be used for the cleansing of the L.G.O.C. garages Wisconsin, has a joint stock capiin and around London. The smaller Lacre sweeper may be described as a miniature edition of the Lacre road sweeping machine that is employed by an enormous number of municipalities throughout world. There are undoubtedly throughout the British Empire many works and substantial garages, the cleansing of which would be cheapened and facilitated by the employment of the smaller Lacre sweeper.

#### BROOKLANDS RACING TRACK

slightly changed when the opening panies. Its joint stock totals meeting-which, by the way; is be- \$7,000,000, and its 1923 production fore Easter this year-takes place, was 21,571 vehicles. The 1926 There will be a single span bridge production more than doubled that across the finishing straight on the total. The company embraces conspot occupied by the temporary cession companies in London, and bridge used for the Grand Prix and Coblenz (Germany). 200 Miles Race, thus allowing communication between the paddock and the general enclosures" while racing is in progress.-"The Auto-

#### MORE EFFORTS TO SECURE SILENT MOTOR CYCLES.

According to "The Motor Cycle," the Auto Cycle Union-governing She always starts to tell my dad body of the motor cycle movement in Britain-held a silencer test last

The useful life of motor vehicles in the United States has been gradually increasing. It is now about eight years...

A novel type of road has been laid recently under the supervision of the borough engineer at Middlesbrough. A continuous metal carpet consisting of steel and iron plates, constructed in the form of See there's a guide-post over there grids, with bars and voids, was laid on a concrete foundation while the Dear me! the road is very steeplatter was still unset. Concrete was then worked into the voids on Oh. I'm as nervous as can be! the surface of the plates, binding the foundation and the metal carpet as a firm part of the roadway. When Aunt Amelia visits us, we A non-skid surface was thus provided. In a recent test of the con- But as I said a while ago we don't crete slabs formed in this way heavy blows with a steel hammer I To tell Dad how to run the car she failed to separate the girds from the concrete and the severest heat- But, this is just the queerest parttests were equally well resisted.

#### AMERICAN COMBINATION.

#### Large Amalgamation Rumoured.

According to a cable published occasional references in the motor- in the Melbourne "Herald," there is ing Press to the inventions of Mr. a possibility of a merger between in British automotive circles, and it firms. It seems to be the general would appear, from an advertise- trend of the industry for the large some of his ideas into such a shape truck companies are to be compolicy of far-reaching effect. The

. "New York, Feb. 6.-Rumours are descriptive matter is as follows:- tion will be one of the greatest in "The Constantinesco can is, fitted the world, rivalling Ford and with the Constantinesco torque General Motors companies. converter combined in one unit with wealthy banking group is said to

vides just the right torque at the leaders of American automobile Goodrich Company reports the right time to suit the prevailing thought, Mr. Frederick H. Haynes. road conditions without the aid of it is governed by a board of 14 throttle control of the engine. The Dodge, the only representative of converter enables a smaller engine the Dodge family. Its assets in 1925 were £30,000,000, and the 1924 "The car free-wheels automati- sales were 222,236 chassis, with a cally, giving considerable economy big increase on that total in 1926. in petrol consumption. It cannot The Dodge car is probably amongst run backward while in forward gear the first half dozen most popular care in the world

Mack Trucks Inc., New York, is

national Motor Car Co., the Mack Bros. Motor Car Co., the Internalional Plainfeld Motor Co., the Mack Motor Truck Con the Mack International Truck Co., and Mack Trucks, Ltd. (Canada). The Mack. truck is one of America's oldest commercial motor products, and the Some idea of the extent of the other vehicles marketed by the corpremises occupied by the fleets of poration have big sales. The joint the London General Omnibus Com- stock holdings of the corporation on pany can be obtained from the fact December 12, 1924, were £3,000,000. that this Company has recently 7 per cent. cumulative. £1,070,000 placed a repeat order with the Lacre second preferred stock, and Motor Car Company for no fewer \$1,120,000 in common stock. The

> Nash, Motors Co., Incorporated. tal of more than £3,500,000, and incorporates Ajax Motors (£80,000) the Seaman Body Co., Kenosha Hines Co., Lafayette Motors Co. Martin Nash Motors Co., Nash Cincinatti Motors Co., Nash Uriesera Auto Co. the South-West Nash Co., and the North-West Nash Motors Co. factories cover 33 acres, and the employees in 1924 totalled 5,530. Its production of Nash cars in 1924 totalled 52,930, but big increases were made in 1925-26.

square feet.

Packard is one of America's car Detroit by the Packard Motor Car Brooklands Motor Racing Track Co., which incorporates the Packard at Weybridge, England, will be Weiss and the Ohio automobile com-

#### THE BACK-SEAT DRIVER.

When Aunt Amelia visits us, we. take her in the car; Rut when she is a passenger, Dad won't go very far. The back seat always she selects:

but then-my snakes alive! exactly how to drive!

"You mustn't try to pass that truck or there will be a smash! You're going thirty miles an hour Now don't you think that's A car is coming round the curve!

Look out, or you'll collide-You're towards the middle of the road; keep over at the side! We're coming to a cross-street now

and you had best go slow. to tell us how to go! it's not the way to take.

hope you'll use your brake!" take her in the car;

go very far. always seems to strive. she never learned to drive!

#### U.S. PRODUCTION.

#### Smaller Than Last Year.

Advices received from New York state that the automobile industry is withholding judgment on 1927. until sales during the next few weeks are observed, says the London correspondent of the "Times of Ceylon." Meanwhile first quarter production schedules are upon a fairly liberal basis, though smaller than last year. Dealers' stocking, except where new models are being introduced, is described as very modest as the cheek in production late in the year saved a situation that was beginning to look dangerous. Fear that farm sales may be relatively poor is expressed. The record of 1926 is gradually being completed. The American Department of Commerce reports the year's production in the United States at 3,765,048 passenger cars and 494,377 trucks, compared with 3,696,490 and 478,396 in 1925. The December figure of 137,361 passenger cars was the smallest of herent characteristic which pro sident one of the most prominent any month in five years. The B.F. year's registration at 22,273,643, an increase of 2,044,618; as compared with production this would point to a replacement demand of approximately 2,500,000. Results for individual companies for the year are interesting. The figures are com-Dow-Jones of New

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Production.

#### A NEW POEM.

I have received from the driver of a Dennis omnibus the immortal verse that I here present free to my readers. It is a perfectly bona fide effort, which, perhaps accounts for the enthusiasm and at the same time, perhaps, for the comparisons which we all know are odlous, and need not be taken too seriously. The Dennis is a lovely Bus-

It never seems to make a fuss, For acceleration you cannot

For all-round wear I do not care You cannot beat it anywhere.

you count three...

For speed it leaves all others It ought to go on Brooklands

The miles it does you'd be surtion is required. prised It opens other people's eyes

There is only one fault with this Bus, I see

There isn't one belongs to me But I think after all I've said and done.

The Dennis People ought to give me one."

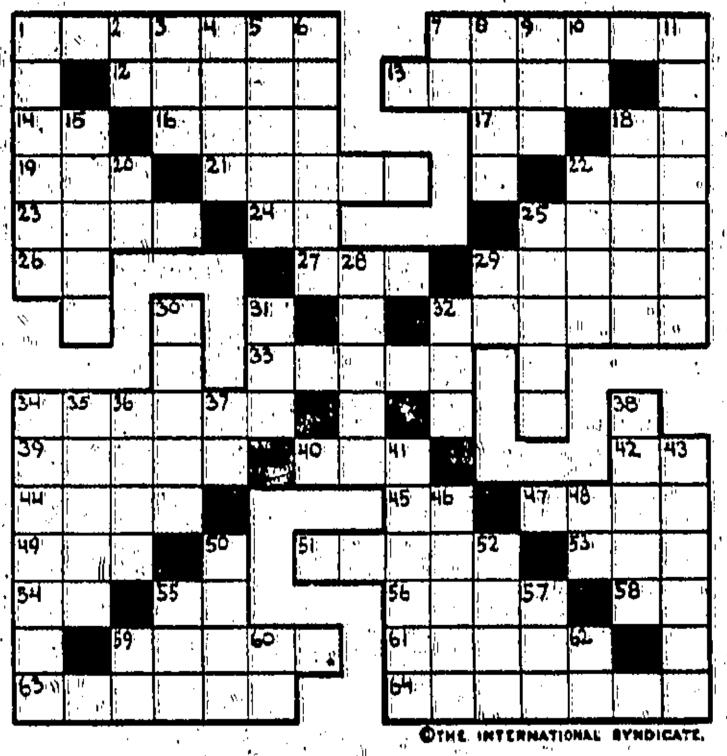
For the metre, punctuation and the capital's, as for the poem itself; I am indebted to my correspondent. As to the matter, I have only one or two minor criticisms to offer. The phrase "like a greyhound on the leap" strikes me as conveying a doubtful compliment to the clutch The remarks on the "London 'bus" are certainly not, as the 'bus itself is stated to be, "away from the point," with the possible exception of the statement that its speed capabilities are such that "it leaves all others flat." I can only hope, in this respect, not to be included amongst "the others." I should prefer to be classified as an "also ran,"-From "Torque," by The Torque Tube ("Motor Transport.")

#### MORE SILENT MOTOR CYCLES.

"The Motor Cycle," in conjunction with the Triumph Cycle Co., Coventry, is offering prizes of £100, 250 and 225 for a silencer which will tender a Triumph motor cycle as quiet as a car. The competition remains open until mid-April.

#### DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

(Thu oross-word puzzle has been made by an emperbut our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spellings, such as harbor, plow, and altho.)



HORIZONTAL 55-To enatch

14-A country of Europe (abbr.) 16-Counterfelt 17-Right (abbr.) 18-Exist 19-Received 21-Not Inclined 22-Young seal 23→A noose 24-The (French) 25-A. Norse myth. 26-Prefix. Form of

1-A particle

12-A. song of Joy

7-To Boowl

27-At once 29-A Saripture: proper 32-Unaparing; hareh

33-Fat 34-Stook farm (8p.-Am.) 39-Almost 40-Conjunction 42-Old Saxon (abbri) (4-Cryptrasmous plant 5-Part of the Bible

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puzzle.)

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81-Also 32-Look at 58-Prefix. Again 59-A famous fairy tale 84-Name of 18 Egyptian King writer 61-Transgressed 25-Overhead 68-An East Indian herb 36-Part of the face 87-Distance: above base (abbr.)

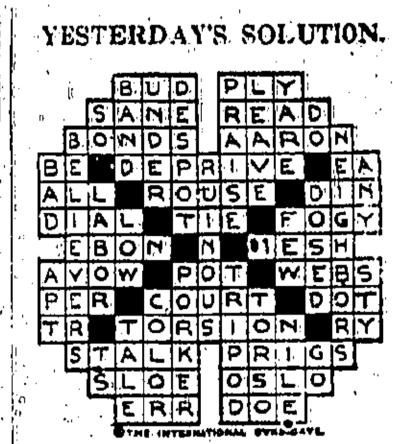
64-Risks VERTICAL 1-A rolling of the eyes 88-Pertaining to the 2-Army Corps (abbri) 41-8tubborn 8-To seize suddenly 43-Tension 4-Mountains bet. 46-The earth (Latin) Europe and Asia 48-Profix. Applicat. 5-A worthless fellow 50-Stiffly proper and 6-A number 7-To operate, as a: alock B-Aliure

52-To mend a hole, a Illnia stocking: 39-A. worthless leaving 55-A. Southern. constallation 10-Weight (abbr.) 11-A dashing about 87-To basesok 59-Grand Sonibe with anger 15-A birdis resent at

60-Personal pronoun 18-A buring tool 82-Prefix, From. (The solution of the above cross-word puzzle will appear in Monday's issue along with a new cross-word

#### DIESEL-TYPE ENGINES IN COMMERCIAL VEHICLES.

Will commercial vehicles of the future be propelled by Diesel-type engines? Lengthy experiments have been made by German motor manuaristocrats, and is manufactured at | It's like a greyhound on the leap | facturers with Diesel engines of various designs and sizes in business vehicles chassis, and French. Italian and American firms are do-The London Bus you want to ing likewise. In Britain a few makers are investigating the sub-It's away from the point before ject, and it will not be surprising to see a British-built Diesel-engined vehicle in the near future. Among the outstanding advantages of the Diesel-type engine, says 'Motor'.
Transport," are its fuel economy and the fact that no electric igni-



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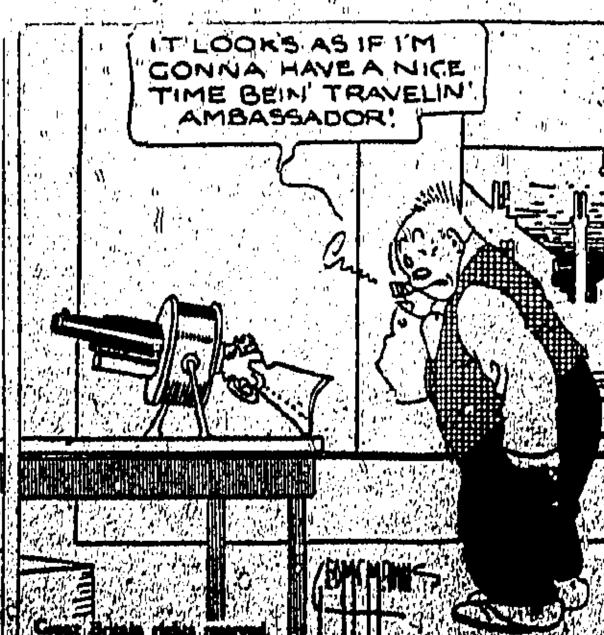
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#### WEEK'S PAPERS IN ONE.

THE "OVERLAND" CHINA MAIL."

#### LINK BETWEEN HOME AND HONG KONG.

So many startling incidents have rapidly followed each other that even the Chinese themselves are at loss to cope with the trendi of events. ""

Acknowledged as "the link with Hong Kong," this week's issue should be sent to all friends abroad to let them understand what is happening all over China.

#### WATCHED BY THE EYES OF THE WORLD.

Most difficult for foreigners to understand is the split in the Nationalist Party, a quarrel on which the eyes of the world are turned. The daily reports, backed up by notes in concise form, will give the information that is sought.

People at Home admit that they are nonplussed by the complications in the China situation. There is no more welcome gift for them than a copy of the "Overland."

#### EVERY PHASE GRAPHICALLY DESCRIBED.

How foreign refugees are hastily leaving various parts of China, how Japan has been embroiled in Hankow, how the 'Stars and Stripes" were "torn down at Chungking, how British residents have undergone hardships—these are all graphically described.

Chiang Kai-shek's considered views, side by side with the Russian-inspired Communist slogans, will make very interesting reading.

Loyalty to the cause of one's own nation impels! compliance with the duty of keeping those further away posted as to the facts.

#### READY TO-DAY.

Homeward Mail closes on Saturday at 9.30 a.m. and another on Monday at 2.30 p.m.

[Sold on the streets and at the bookstalls or you can send your \$15 including postage abroad.]

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY

CONSTITUTION OF MAN.

Mr. H. E. Lanepart gave an address on "Death and After" Thursday's weekly public meeting of the Theosophical Society (Hong Kong Lodge). An extract of his observations follows:-

The constitution of man accord ing to the Esoteric Philosophy seven-fold, consisting of, the mortal triad-individuality-spirit as will, spirit as intuition, and spirit as intellect-and of perishable quaternary—the person-constituted of the concrete mindbody, the desire-body, the etheric double (the instrument of vitality)

and the physical body. Death is a complicated process consisting of a repeated unrobing or unsheathing, wherein the immortal part of man shakes off from itself, one after the other, its outer mortal casings, passing itself after the dropping of each body into a higher state of consciousness. Man's True Nature.

functioning through the physical building it as capacities and tenbody. On the contrary, the lawful dencies into the soul, then the stepping out of the dense body re- hunger for more experience causes position as compared with last primarily and potentially divine. When man recognises his true nawith the immortal triad, the divine soul has learnt all the lessons the will, intuition and intelligence in earth can teach. him (and not with his bodies of action, of feeling and of concrete thought), he then begins to know that "Life" has nothing to do with his various bodies and with this material plane, but that life is his conscious existence, unbroken, unbreakable, and that the brief interludes in that life, during which he dwells on earth, are but a minute fraction of his conscious existence, and a fraction, moreover, during which he is less alive because: of the heavy material coverings that

weigh him down. The Moment of Death. Therefore at death he steps out Sermon 6 p.m. again of the prison of bodily forms and is one step nearer to the real-

At the moment of death the man, clad in his higher principles and the etheric double, the outer conductor of the vitality, withdraws from the physical body, and the snapping of the last tie between it and the theric double marks the actual moment of death for the physical body.

quits the body, it does not travel 10.15 a.m. any distance from it. Normally it Good Friday:-Litany and Anteremains floating over the body, the Communion 10 a.m.; Matins and man's state of consciousness being Sermon 11 a.m. Preacher: Rev. dreamy and peaceful, unless tumul- W. R. Cannell (subject: The Lone- distress and violent emotion liness of Christ); Meditation on the surrounds the corpse from which it Passion 12 noon to 3 p.m., conduct- Consumption has just separated itself.

drawing from the body, taking with quested to do so during the singing it the Higher principles, as after of the hymns; Evensong 6 p.m. and Main Districts up to March 14, and it has withdrawn, extreme quiet preparation for Easter Communion; services to houses in the Rider Main and self-control should be observed Vocal and Instrumental Recital 9.15 Districts were disconnected and a in the death chamber, for during p.m. Soloists will include Mrs. Supply was given by public street this time the whole life" passes Sanger (soprano), Mrs. Aubrey fountains only from March 15, 1926. the immortal individual.

Passing On. speak in whispers, not to disturb the vestry after any of the services. Garden Road during March 1927. the quiet ripple of thought and not hinder the busy work of review- the Holy Communion; 8 a.m. the ing the entire past.

higher principles gradually dis- Rev. H. Copley Moyle; 12 noon the engage themselves from the etheric Holy Communion; 3 p.m. Flower Kowloon Reservoir .. 23' 8"B. 17'9"B. double and shake this off as they Service for children. Address by previously shook off the grosser Rev. N. V. Halward; 6 p.m. Evenentity into the next state, where the desire body of the man be-1 intensely self-conscious, a.m. the Holy Communion. while the etheric double is left behind as a corpse.

The desire body causes for longer or shorter period a delay to the onward movement of the departed, till the desires have worn themselves out through lack of gratification and fade away to a cinated free of charge by mem- Estimated population 154.360 159.400 point at which they can no longer bers of the St. John Ambulance Consumption per head detain the soul with their clinging Brigade, up to and including this

The stronger and the grosser the Thursday was:-desires of a man have been during life, the longer and more distress. 24.455; King's College Division ing is the process of their starva- 5.587; Railway Division 4.013;

Difference in Suicides. " cides is different. These, to the 3.433; St. Joseph's College Dividay when they would have died a sion 951; Un Long Division 820. natural death are separated from their higher principles by a guif in

consciousness. If such Ego was destined to live, say, eighty or ninety years—but killed himself, left us suppose, at the age of twenty—he would have to pass in the desire world not only the average length of time, but in this case sixty or seventy years, as an "earth-walker."

For although they have destroyed the body, they find themselves precisely as much alive mentally as before, for they are unable to free themselves from their etheric double, which is the counterpart of the physical body, and is invulnerable to physical means of destruction, until its appointed time for disintegration arrives.

Temporary Insanity. not the appointed time of sentient disagreeable purgative pills, or Landon Ronald. existence, foredoomed (because nasty oil or salts, to remedy liver simply the effect of a plexus of causes) to intervene before the dis-solution of the personality. This Pinkettes, tiny but thorough, do good in selling our goods; we demust run on for its appointed just as well. Pinkettes are laxa- pend too-exclusively on quality.period. Such responsible suicides tive perfection. They gently disfind themselves terribly alive and pel constipation, liverishness, sick awake, with all the cravings and headaches, bilious attacks, clear desires that embittered his earth the skin, purify the breath, relieve admittedly on uphill task, what life, all that which drove him into piles. Your chemist sells Pinket appears to be needed in not a his rash act still with him. However, a man, who causes his death tes, or post free, 60 cents the vial, brake, but an accelerator, not a in a fit of temporary insanity is not from Dr. Williams, Medicine Co., Second, Chamber, but a second a felo de se and does not undergo 60, Kiengse Road, Shanghali

the agonies which an ordinary sulcide inevitably has to endure but he falls asleep in the same way as victims of sudden accidents, till the end of his natural life period arrives and he is free to enter a higher state of consciousness and to proceed on his normal, way to self-realisation, and finally returns to earth, after a prolonged stay in

Return to Earth Repeated. All souls pass after a shorter of longer period spent in the desire or astral world, till the unstilled desires in them have died out, and the desire body has dropped away, into the higher mental or heaven world. enter, for gross matter has been year (17 gallons as compared left behind with all its desires and with 16). selfish thoughts.

the mental and heaven world.

surate with all the good, and noble loving seeds sown during life time on earth. But if the sower has sown but little seed, the heavenly harvest of bliss will be meagre and short-lived, and the growth of the soul in divine self-realisation will be delayed by the paucity nutriment on which it has to feed. And when the Ego has tabulated all earthly experience, gone over Life depends by no means on the and assimilated its experience by sults in a vastly increased freedom the soul to return to earth and to year, there being 249.02 million and vividness of life, for man is reincarnate in a new set of mortal gallons in store as compared with instruments" or bodies.

This process of dying and returnture and begins to identify himself ing to earth is repeated till the

### HOLY WEEK.

CATHEDRAL AND OTHER SERVICES.

Below is given the list of services at St. John's Cathedral during Holy Reservoirs on April 1, 1927;— " Week, also services at the Peak Easter Sunday. St. John's Cathedrall

Sixth Sunday in Lent, April 10: -Holy Communion 8 a.m.; Matina and Sermon 11 a.m.; Evensong and Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday before Easter:-Holy Communion 7.45 a.m.; Matins 10.15 a.m.; Evensong 6 p.m. and address by Rev. W. R. Cannell. Subjects :-

Monday, the Sublimest Prayer Tuesday, the Mystery of Wednesday, Bearing the

Thursday before Easter .- Holy When the etheric double finally Communion 7.45 a.m.; and Matins

ed by Rev. H. Copley Moyle. Per- Estimated population 399,880 410,200 During the slow process of dying, sons entering or leaving during Consumption per head while the etheric double is with- the three hours service are reswiftly in review before the Ego, (violin), Mr. A. P. Glanville (bass). Intermittent Supply in all Rider Communion 7.45 a.m.; Evensong during March 1927 and Full Supply in

One should at such moments 6 p.m. - The Chaplains will be in all Rider Main Districts East of Easter Sunday, April 17:-7 a.m. Holy Communion (choral); 11 a.m. As the days go on, the five Matins and Sermon. Preacher: They pass on as a five-fold song and Sermon. Preacher: Rev.

W. R. Cannell. Peak Church-Easter Sunday: 8 Kowloon Reservoir .... 151.80 193.39 St. Pcter's Church-Easter Sun-Reception Reservoir .... day? 8 a.m. the Holy Communion; a 11 a.m. Choral Eucherict.

VACCINATION FIGURES.

Chinese Y.M.C.A. Division tion in the desire or astral world. Indian Division 4.552; Kowloon Division 21,072; Mongkok Divi-The position of responsible sui- sion 4.672: Shaukiwan Division

Total 69.055.



Why use an elephant gun to So they may destroy the body, but shoot rabbits? Why take large could not die of starvation. Sir

#### WATER SUPPLY.

COMPARATIVE RESERVOIR FIGURES.

MORE NOW IN STORE.

Most of the local reservoirs show higher levels on April 1 than at the same time last year, the total storage in Hong Kong being 1,191,66 million gallons as compared with 683.55 million gallons at the same time last year. The average consumption where nothing that defileth can per head per day is higher this

There: was any intermittent There the Ego reaps a just har- supply in all rider main districts vest of unalloyed bliss, common- West of Cardon Road during West of Garden Road during March, 1927 and a full supply in all rider main districts East of Garden Road during March 1927. This compares with an intermittent supply in all rider main districts up to March 14, last year, services to houses in the rider main districts being given by public street fountains only from March 15, 1926.

Kowloon Supplies. Kowloon is no less better a 151.95 last year, this in spite of the surprising increase in average consumption per head per day (if the official figures are correct) from 7 gallons to 15.6.

There was a restricted supply in all districts during March, 1926 and a full supply in all districts during March 1927.

Level and Storage of water in Church and St. Peter's Church on CITY AND HILL DISTRICT WATER WORKS LEVEL.

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	Tytam Intermediate	34" 7"B,	22' 0"B.
ı	Tytam Tuk	52' 5"B.	32' 3"B.
. 1	Wong Nei Chung	28' 6"B.	15' 0"B.
	Pokfulum	16' 9"B.	18' 6"B.
	[Note: B. denotes 'Above Ov	Below 0	verflow":
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Tyta	n	141.57	304.39
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Tytar	n:Tuk	450,80	751.74
Wong	Nei Chung	4.79	13.72
Pokf	ılum	30.58	27.24

Total ..... 688.55-1,191.66 Consumption of water in the City and Hill District in millions and decimals of gallons during the month of

per day (gallons) ... 16.0 17.0 Intermittent Supply in all Rider Easter Eve, Saturday -- Holy Main Districts West of Garden Road

KOWLOON WATER WORKS

Reception Reservoir .. \_\_\_ 2'4"B. "Storage in millions and decimals. of gallons.

Shek Lai Pui Reservoir . .15 28.60 Total: ..... 151.95 249.02 Consumption of water in Kowloon

in millions and decimals of gallone during the month of March. The number of Chinese vac- Consumption ...... 33.54 77.45

> ner day (gallons) ... Restricted Supply in all districts during March 1926. Full supply in all districts during March 1927. The Government Analyst's reports show that the quality of the water is satisfactory. Total rainfall to March 31 1926, 7.45; March 31, 1927, 9.20.

EASTERN PORTS' HEALTH.

The health bulletin of Eastern

ports for the week ended April 2 reads:— Plague: 1 case at Alexandria, 9 at Bassein, 6 at Bombay. 1 at Rangoon, 4 at Colombo.

Cholera: 4 cases at Bassein, 59 at Calcutta, 1 at Rangoon, 16 at Bungkok, 8 at Saigon. Small-pox: 1 case at Alex-

andria, 85 at Bombay, 806 at Calcutta, 5 at Karachi, 20 at Madras, 1 at Negapatam, 48 at Rangoon, 1 at Singapore, 8 at Bangkok, 1 at Saigon, 1 at Kobe, 1 at Osaka.

If Schubert lived to-day he

gear. Mr. A. Barratt Brown.

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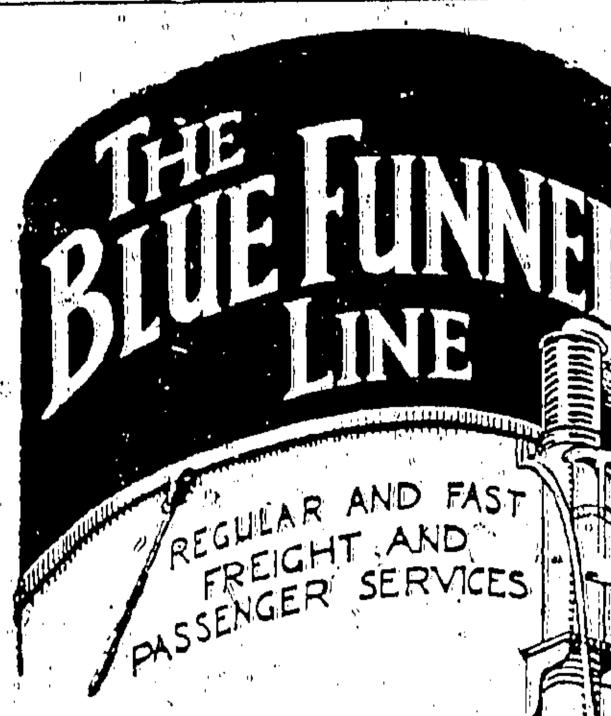
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EXECUTIVE & LEGISLATIVE APPOINTMENT.

MR. BERNARD & MR. HYNES.

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is appointed to the Executive taken from him. Council. Mr. Bernard served on No. 3 tunnel is in the Shabin disthe Legislative Council as a wict. nominated member during earlier associations with the Colony. He "H.M.S. PINAFORE." fanceeded to the position of Chamber of Commerce representative on the Legislative Council on the death of the late Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak, Mr. Bernard is Chairman of the Court of, Directors, Hong Kong and Shanghail Banking Corporation, Managing formances, ... the Director of Jardine, Matheson and Society members taking part | head killed him and his com-Co., Ltd. and holds numerous in the presentation of "H.M.S. other important local appoint. Pinafore" returned fresh

member of the Legislative Coun- somewhat of a stumbling block. cil. Mr. Hynes succeeded to the went with much more of a swing Chief Managership of the Hong and at to-night's (last) perform-Kong and Shanghai Banking Cor- ance lovers of Gilbert and Sullivan poration during the absence on should be entertained to an excelleave of Mr. A. H. Barlow. He is delightfull opera. Those taking an Unofficial Justice of the Peace part certainly deserve the high and has been associated with the praise and congratulations of the Hong Kong branch of the Bank public for the time and trouble they for a number of years.

HOSPITAL COMFORTS

> ARTICLES THAT ARE NEEDED.

that is to be made for Hospital-Comforts locally, we are asked to ment in connection with the mur-state that the following articles der of the Chinese woman who was will prove of much use: dressing backed to death in her house at gowns; small cruet sets; easy Chuk Un village, Kowloon City, on, wicker chairs; smallowicker tables; Wednesday night. dust pans and brushes; brushes- After recovering consciousness, hand sweeping; O Cedar Mops; the deceased woman agave the bath mats-cork for officers' wards; Police descriptions of two menbed jackets; bed spreads; small, whom she accused, one of whom ward dressing trolleys; pairs she claimed to have known for operating room stockings; net fly-some time. covers for food etc. beaded; small tea pots, small milk jugs, small formally charged at the Kowloon sugar basing and small glass water Magistracy this morning and rejugs (as tea 'sets for officers' wards); chart (temperature) boards; ink stands; blotting pads; pen trays; enamelled jugs 2 quarts small kettles; sauce pans (enamel) 2 pints; gramophones and records; games; packs of cards; books; note paper and envelopes; long handed polishers for ward floors; long handed sweeping brushes; commor mops; jugs and basins for medica officers use (surgical wards) and wardrobes for officers wards.

BANK NOTES.

Returns of the average amount of Bank Notes in circulation and of specie in reserve in Hong Kon during the month ended March cheong have been appointed forest 31, 1927 (as certified by the Mana- officers. gers of the respective Banks:-

Amount, In Reserve. o Banks Chartered Bank of India,

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Total .... 70,785,900 40,389,000 \* In addition Sterling Securities deposited with the Crown Bookbinders. Agents valued at £1,260,800. In addition Securities deposit-

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To-day's "Government Gazette' contains the new Order of His Majesty in Council governing appeals to the Privy Council. The regulations cover nineteen pages and include the fees.

TUNNEL HOLD-UP.

KOWŁOON RAILWAYMAN ROBBED.

HONG KONG, SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 1927.

While bending down to examine the lines in No. 3 tunnel of the The current "Gazette" announces two new appointments in struck on the head by an assailant connection with the Executive who held a piece of rock. Legislative Councils, due to The workman was then assaulted

A metal watch and chain (valued The Hon, Mr. D. G. M. Bernard at \$4.500 and \$3 in money were

PROMISE FOR TO-NIGHT'S SHOW.

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Mr. A. C. Hynes is appointed a The second Act, which has been have given to the preliminary work and the finished "product."

KOWLOON CITY MURDER:

Two men have been detained by the Criminal Investigation Depart-

The two arrested men were manded for a week.

POLICE INSPECTION.

lementi) is to inspect the Hong the property without obstructing Kong Police in the Central Station | the view .- Mrs. E. M. Wood. compound at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, April 12 (and not April 19 as stated yesterday). Medals, commendations and

musketry trophies will be handed out at the annual inspection.

Mr. Hau lu and Mr. Ku Sing-

The name of the Hong Kong

Lumber Company, Limited has been struck off the register.

Of all the tyrannies accountry can suffer, there is none so dangerous as the tyranny of the majority.-Mr. Duff Cooper, M.P.

CHEKA VICTIMS.

PRINCE DOLGORUKOFF EXECUTED.

'A DRAMATIC STORY.

The black motore forry which nightly leaves the courtyard of Lubianka Prison at Moscow with corpsest of persons, executed in the basement of the most dreaded Cheka prison in Russia took the body of another Russian Prince to a nameless grave in the suburbs of Moscow.

According to an item published in the "Verchernya Moska" ("Evening Moscow") newspaper Prince Dolgorukoff was executed by order of the Soviet Peoples Commissars.

Accompanied by eighteen other men sentenced to capital punishment Prince Dolgorukoff was marched into the basement of the Lubjanka Prison where a single Philliarmonic revolver shot in the back of the

panions in turn The execution of the Prince according to the Soviet newspaper whas brought to light a dramatic story. The Prince had twice attempted to enter Russia to visit estates in the Kursk district where his family had hidden a store of treasure.

Last November Prince Polgorukoff met a Russian in Paris who claimed to have influence with the Soviet Legation there. This Russiam offered to obtain false passports to enter Russia and volunteered to accompany the Prince in order to show that there was no treachery intended. Crossing the Polish-Russian frontier the pair finally reached Kursk, where, in due course, Prince Dolgorukoff found the family treasure untouched. He divided the treasure with his guide, as arranged. A few hours later the Prince was arrested, his guide, turning out to be a trusted Cheka agent, who had been sent from Moscow to lure him into Russia.

The treasure of the Dolgorukoff family has been confiscated, and the Cheka agent who betrayed the Prince, and whose name has not been disclosed, has been pro-

Under modern conditions, there is no necessary place for sculpture except on the mantel-shelf or in the museum.-Mr. Eric Gill.

The modern woman's clothing H.E. the Governor (Sir Cecili resembles barbed wire: it protects

NOTICE.

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